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Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Wednesday, Oct 27th, 1909

## Heineman Merc. Co.

## SALE OF COATS

THIS SALE BEGINS

## Saturday Morning

Best money saving opportunity of the season.

Come and see for yourself.

Regular value up to \$50.00

## Your Choice at One-Half Price

## Infants' Wear

Bearskin Coats in white, rose, blue and red. From 2 to 4 years, for \$2.50

Bearskin Bonnets, exact matches of coats, all shapes, all sizes, 25c up.

Infants' blankets, all wool, white with pale blue and pink borders \$2.00

Coat Sweaters, buttoned with gold and pearl buttons, in all colors, closely knit 50c up.

Stocking Caps, all wool, doubled, they match sweaters, price 25c and up.

The complete line of our corsets show a large variety of shapes, long, medium and short, making it possible to fit every type of figure to the full of its requirements.

Price 50c to \$5.00 per pair. Every pair guaranteed.

## COLONIAL DISPLAY FABRICS

The colonial fabrics are very artistic, yet very inexpensive. We have them to harmonize with the colorings of any room at per yard 25c

Heineman Mercantile Co.

## Suit and Cloak Sale

Three Days, Friday, Oct 29  
Sat. Oct. 30, Nov. 1st

We bought this week for spot cash a large number of suits at a big discount. These together with the suits on hand we have placed in three lots. These are the season's very latest style and coloring in plain tailored and fancy. Every suit in the store is included in this sale.

Lot 1 Ladies and Misses Suits sold regular at \$17.50 to \$25. Sale \$13.75

Lot 2 Ladies and Misses Suits sold regular at \$25 to \$30. Sale \$22.50

Lot 3 Ladies and Misses Suits sold regular at \$37.50 to \$45. Sale \$32.50

## Women and Misses Coats.

We have the past week received a large number of new coats right up to the minute in style. We will place two extraordinary lots of coats on sale. This does not include every coat in stock, but about 35 to 50 coats in each lot. For style and values these have never been equaled and include the new pleated, plain tailored and prince clasp models, block mixtures, all colors.

Lot 1 Womens and Misses coats, regular \$12.50 to \$15 value. Sale \$11.50

Lot 2 Womens and Misses coats, regular \$17.50 to \$25 value. Sale \$16.50

Other Coats Ranging in Price from \$5 to \$35

J. T. SCHUMACHER, Opposite Post office

## Carried His Money With Him.

What is considered to be an important arrest was made by the police at Stevens Point on Monday. The man when searched was found to have three \$1000 bills in his possession, besides \$78.12 in smaller bills and coin. He was also carrying a .38 calibre revolver.

The man stated that he was making an automobile trip thru the state and that his machine broke down at Rice Lake, and that he was making his way back home by train, claiming that he lived in Chicago.

The man gave his name as Fisher, and in company with a woman got onto the Soo train at Chippewa Falls and was seen to exhibit a roll of bills. The man was arraigned on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, to which he pleaded not guilty, and the police at the Point have since been trying to find where Fisher is wanted.

## Bitten by a Dog.

The eleven year old daughter of Paul Tasse was bitten in the calf of the leg by a dog on Tuesday. The wound was not a very bad one, the animal making a snap at the girl without tearing the flesh any. The dog was a collie that had been hanging around the neighborhood, a sort of a houseless canine but had never before shown any evidence of being ugly. The wound was dressed by a surgeon and it is not anticipated that there will be any after results.

Miss Mary White visited with relatives in Stevens Point on Tuesday. The girl from the U. S. A., a drama with 12 big song hits and big beauty chorus Thursday, Oct. 28th, City's Theatre. Prices 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Lizette Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz of the town of Sigel to Mr. Edward Brehm, to take place on Tuesday, Nov. 9th, at the German Lutheran church in Sigel.

Stevens Point Journal—Miss Nettie Laflamme, who has been employed as a compositor at the Journal office for several years, has been compelled on account of the serious illness of her mother to give up her work here and leave tonight for her home in Grand Rapids, where she will devote herself to her mother's care.

The Gilkey-Anson company, which has been located at Merrill and engaged in the sawing of lumber during the past twenty-six years, saved their last log last week, and the affairs of the company will be closed as soon as possible and they will go out of business. It is expected that it will take them about a year to wind up their affairs.

Across the Divide, a great western drama at Ideal Theatre, Oct. 28th and 29th.

## ONE CENT A WORD

Store room for rent in Daly's Theater.

FOR RENT—7 room house, bath, kitchen, 4 lots, coal cellar, modern pump. East side. St. Joseph. J. H. L. L. L.

LOST—White dog, small, with brown ears. Answers to name Bailey. \$10.00 reward if returned to P. E. Burdick, Portage, Wis.

BLACKSMITH—W. A. Tied—Steamer. Anderson Carriage Works.

BUILDING FOR SALE—The same building now owned by N. E. Tomczak as a school near St. Paul depot. For particulars inquire of N. E. Tomczak, St. Paul.

BARGAIN IN LOTS—I will sell my big lot 500 feet on Third St., near Catholic church and one block from Green Bay depot for \$200 if taken at once. Frank Black, phone 175.

FOR RENT—Seven room house with water, cellar, sewer and bath. Inquire at Tribune office.

FOR TRADE—Lot in Daly's east side, addition for horse. Inquire at Tribune office.

Advertise your wants in this column. They bring results.

FOR SALE—Two horses, black and a roan or bay. Mrs. E. E. E. E.

FOR SALE—Painty driving horse, 6 years old and perfectly sound and gentle. Barle M. Fong.

FOR SALE—George N. Wood offers for sale at a bargain the 60 foot river front building on Reductus street consisting of 6000 sq. ft. and low lot.

HOUSES FOR SALE—The Deane property on Higgins street consisting of 6000 sq. ft. and low lot.

FOR SALE—Double barrel shot gun, in good condition. Inquire of Kirk Salter.

## Normal Team Beaten.

The normal football team from Stevens Point came over on Saturday and was trimmed up by the local high school team by a score of 5 to 0. It was a close, hotly contested game from start to finish and our boys are to be congratulated on having beaten a team that was supposed to be their superiors in age, experience, strength and weight.

One of the sensational features of the game was the long run made by Grim Natwick. Our boys also did some good team work, and they and their friends are commencing to feel that they can about trim up anything of their kind in this locality.

## Death of Mrs. Laura Page Osborn.

Mrs. Laura Page Osborn, who at one time made her home in this city, and who was a sister to Mrs. W. H. Getts of this city, died at her home at Naticotta, Washington, on the 9th of October. Mrs. Osborn is survived by her husband and three sons, the latter being Lyman and Alfred Osborn who reside at Naticotta, and Charles Osborn, who lives at Sissou, California. Deceased was born in May, 1839, and was consequently in her 71st year.

## BIG BARGAIN FOR \$1.00

The Progressive Grocery Dept. of Johnson & Hill Co. have put out a bargain list. Every item below its actual value:

1 pound soft crackers, \$ .06  
1 pk. L. Cold Water Starch .05  
3 cans Oil sardines, 2 cans Peas .10  
4 Cakes Toilet Soap, Aest .09  
2 lbs. Japan Rice .12  
2 pk. 1 lb. Seeded Raisins .07  
2 pk. Post Toasties .13  
1 bar P. G. Nephia Soap .03  
1 lb. Sororo Coffee (it's good) .16  
1 Japanese fancy cup and saucer .19  
All of the above for only \$1.00

We have on hand a full supply of vegetables, fruits, canned goods, and the famous Blizzard flour at very low prices. Try our 10c canned goods. They are fine. Johnson & Hill Co.

## Many Young Farmers to Take Short Course.

The advance enrollment for the short course in agriculture which opens December 4 at the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin shows a larger number of young farmers interested in this work than in previous years. Some 184 students have registered for second year work, and over 140 for first year studies, including 26 non residents representing 13 states outside of Wisconsin. The interest taken in Wisconsin's short course by these young farmers from outside the state is an indication of the estimate which is placed upon this instruction in other states.

The rearrangement of the course which will be put into effect this year, involving an improvement in the schedule and the addition of several new courses, makes the short course in agriculture of greater value than ever before, to those young farmers of the state who desire to increase their knowledge of the science and successful practice of agriculture as worked out by prominent farmers and experiment stations. The new courses in farm management and poultry husbandry will provide needed instruction in these lines not heretofore available. The facilities of the college for student work in stock judging will be increased by the new live stock pavilion which is now in use.

Rev. C. B. Blakeslee of the Episcopal church has tendered his resignation as pastor of the church, and expects to leave the city within a short time. Mr. Blakeslee has been tendered the pastorate of the Episcopal church at Hudson, but up to the present time has not decided whether or not he will accept it. During the time Rev. Blakeslee has been here he has made many friends who will be sorry to hear of his determination to leave.

The Rebekah Lodge will give an oyster supper and amusements, Oct. 30, at the G. A. R. hall from 5 to 10 p. m.

## Scores the State Fair.

A recent issue of the West Allis Independent has a two column tirade against the state fair as it has been conducted in the past, and one would be led to infer by reading the article that there was need of reform along this line. Most of the blame is due to the governor, according to the Independent, for the set of rules which it claims that the governor appointed on the board.

Of course the state fair isn't anything to tear your linen about, but we did not think that it was supposed to be. People go to state and county fairs for the purpose of getting a day or two away from home more than for anything they can see there. One would have to go back a good many years to think of the time when he had found anything new at a county fair, and the state fairs are much the same, only on a bit larger scale.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies, Anderson, Mrs. Mae, card; Card, Miss Daisy, card; Haelett, Miss Lillian, card; Hankey, Miss Idell, card; Hintz, Anna, card; Oleson, Mrs. R. card.  
Gautelinen, Berce, Louis; Ca'ley, Jasper, Ozajkowski, Cestaw, card foreign; Desomiers, Geo. J., card; Diukfelt, Willie, card; Grand Rapids Milk Co., card; Hansen, Geo., card; Hankel, Fred; Klopinski, Joseph, card; Martin, Chas; McCannel, Russell; McKeown, Frank; Rubenstein, Jack, card; Thayer, E. J., card; Walckeld, Harry, card; Whitlock, Edward, card; Wolf, B.

## Oyster Supper.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend an oyster supper and Hal-loween entertainment to be given by the Congregational Christian Endeavor Society in the church parlors, Oct. 29. Price 25c.

Oyster Concomme and Wafers  
Salad Sandwiches Cakes  
Pickles Coffee

## May Commence Nov. 15.

The street car company has extended the time for commencing the operation of cars to the middle of November, when they expect to put a car into service. They have been delayed at different times in an unavoidable manner, notwithstanding which the work has gone forward in a pretty satisfactory manner. The work of laying track and putting up the wire has been going forward quite rapidly of late.

## Lost Their Baby Girl.

Genevieve Frances Bever, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bever, died on Sunday, the 24th instant, at the age of seven months, cause of death being cholera infantum. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from the Catholic church, Rev. Wm. Reeling officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Bever have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

## Death of Fred Haller.

Fred Haller, who for a couple of years or more worked for the Kandy Manufacturing Co. of this city, died at his home in Stevens Point on Tuesday of last week after an illness extending over a year. Deceased was a native of Switzerland where he was born in 1850. He is survived by his wife, but no children.

## BIRTHS.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shearer.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hendricks.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pankrat of the town of Grand Rapids.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. John Margeson this morning.

A son to Rev. John McReynolds this morning.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker on Wednesday.

—See the Hudson-Edison naval parade at the Ideal Theatre tonight.

## DOINGS ON TAG DAY

Dimes, Pennies, Dollars and Bills Contributed All For Charity

"I expect to pass through this world but once. Therefore if there be any kindness I can do to my fellow human being, let me do it now; let me not delay nor neglect it, for I will not delay nor neglect it, for I will not pass this way again."

We are sure the sentiment expressed by this brief paragraph is one that appeals to us all very closely, and that many a person did not forget the opportunity, to do some deed of kindness for a fellow being, was amply shown by the splendid results of last Friday's work.

Tag Day, Oct. 22nd, was given up wholly by the women of the City Federation to tag the various residents and visitors upon our streets, for the benefit of the relief work to be carried on by the charity committee during the next year, no more appealing cause, "than help the poor, the sick, the unfortunate" could be put before the people of our city; and most royally have they responded to the call.

From six o'clock in the morning until late into the night Friday a loyal band of "taggers" were at work, reaping the golden and silver harvest showered upon them, by a thoughtful and courteous public. It was good to see these workers put aside selfish ends for the day, and give themselves whole heartedly, with kindly smiles but resolute appeal to the work in hand. And it was just as good to see the passer by who in turn, responded as willingly and as gracefully to their part of the work, accepting the tag with a satisfaction fully equal to that of the woman who pinned it gladly in place.

Early in the day it was realized that to anyone out on the street escape from being tagged was well nigh impossible; and truly at either end of the bridge should have been a sign "All hope is lost by those who enter here."

Even the very dogs were proudly their badge of honor and once more demonstrated that "the dog is really man's truest friend."

Every street corner had its alert sentinel, every office block was besieged by a vigilant corps, every factory and mill and every school house was thoroughly canvassed by auto parties disposing of the gay little tags "All for Charity".

The very trains and depots were thronged with smiling young women, each intent upon filling her bank with "checkmarks" all for the good of the cause.

Venerable age and the flapping lips of babies clamored alike for the "badge of honor."

This was charity that made no distinctions, sect, age, caste nor color.

And the note of the baby or those in humble circumstances was as great in his "eyes," as the largest contributions of those "who have and to spare."

The day was filled with happy and amusing incidents, many pedestrians bought a tag of each "tagger" as he passed until he was fairly besetted and horridly bored he reached the end of the blockade. Very few refusals were noted during the entire day, and the spirit was such that every worker felt well repaid for her time and effort.

The City Federation feels greatly inspired over the success of the day. Every detail in their plan seemed to work to the best possible advantage; fair weather, enthusiastic workers, and a most generous and courteous public, made an ideal combination for good results.

The club women feel especially indebted to our city newspapers for their kindly assistance and advertisement. Also, sincere thanks are tendered to the pastors and priests of the city, who so earnestly espoused the cause.

The City Superintendent and the public and private teachers in our town also gave most grateful assistance.

The Federation is much indebted to Mr. A. H. Voss for the use of his drug store as headquarters for the society during the entire day. To others who so courteously furnished carriages and automobiles for the use of our club women our heartiest appreciation is extended. It was this spirit of each doing what he could, this general interest shown by the business men, the banks, the wage earners, the women and even the little children that enabled the Federation to raise in one day the sum of \$275.00 for the relief of the poor and the sick of our city.

Surely, "He that giveth to the poor lengtheneth to the Lord," and to each and every person who helped in this worthy cause must come the sense of a deed well done. "To them will come not only the sincere thanks of the Women of the City Federation, but the blessing of those whom their money will help over the rough and hard places which they must pass through in the coming winter."

Signed Mrs. Geo. M. Hill, President

Mrs. M. C. Bramm, Chairman of Relief Committee

Dance at Poesley's.

—There will be social dances at Poesley's hall at 8:30 on Thursday evening, October 28, to which the public is cordially invited. The Bliss orchestra has been engaged to furnish music and a good time is assured.

—Now is the time to secure a supply of good apples. The Johnson & Hill company have loaded on the track near the store which they are selling at 10c a bushel.

## Change on the St. Paul.

Last Sunday a change in time was inaugurated on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road. The train going north in the morning now passes thru here at 6:25, which is a more reasonable hour than heretofore. Then the noon train going south will hereafter arrive here at 11:40 and remain here until 12:10 giving passengers thirty minutes to eat dinner. The evening train going north will arrive at 5:40 and leave at 6:10, making thirty minutes for supper. The night train going south will remain at the old time of 9:25.

The change in time is one that has been contemplated for some time, and while it may work to the detriment of Junction City, where the trains have been stopping for dinner and supper for some time past, it will also be to the advantage of Grand Rapids.

## Florence Arpin Hurt.

Miss Florence Arpin was quite painfully injured on Sunday while out horseback riding with three other young people. Those in the party were Misses Florence Arpin and Bessie Parrish and Ernest Oberbeck and Dan Johnson. The young people had been riding down as far as Nekosia and when on their way back Miss Arpin's horse was frightened by a passing team, and the young lady thrown to the ground.

She struck on some hard object that cut onto a gash in her scalp, and she was hastily picked up and conveyed to Port Edwards where she was given surgical assistance, several stitches being necessary to close the wound. Since then she has been getting along nicely and no serious results are anticipated.

## Mail Carriers Change Time.

Since the change in the time of the morning train on the St. Paul road, the mail carriers have been compelled to change their time again. They are now making two deliveries in the morning and one in the afternoon. They start out at a quarter of eight and make a delivery in the business district and by the time they get back to the office the mail from the morning train is distributed, and they take this and make a general delivery throughout the city. Then they make another delivery in the afternoon, leaving the office about half past two. This change does not make much of any difference to the people of the city, as the mail is pretty well delivered anyway by the three trips of the carriers made during the day.

## A Congressional Candidate.

It is understood and has been so stated by republican journals in the northern part of the state that Assemblyman Haudrecht will be a candidate for Congressman next year. It is understood that Congressman Morse will also be a candidate on the republican ticket, so the battle will be at the primary election.

Of course we expect to see a democrat elected in this district the next time there is an election, but if by any accident a democrat should not be elected we would like to see our fellow-townsmen on the job in preference to some outsider. We understand that Mr. Haudrecht has been receiving considerable encouragement from prominent republicans all over the district.

## Purchased Large Amount of Wood.

Fred Bosworth was in Modine on Thursday where he purchased the stumpage on 50 acres of land, one and one half miles from Modine, which contains about 3000 cords of maple and birch stove wood. The timber is all second growth and was considered one of the finest stands in that part of the country until this summer, when forest fires went thru it, compelling the owner to either sell or cut it this winter. Mr. Bosworth will either let a contract for the cutting or put in camp himself and cut the entire amount this winter, shipping it all to this city to be sold at his wood yard.

## Doing a Nice Business.

Leater Farrell, formerly chef at the Hotel Dixon, who recently opened a restaurant opposite the Witter House, is doing a nice business, and is well satisfied with his venture. Mr. Farrell has a nice clean place and can certainly deliver the goods when it comes to cooking. Mr. Farrell invites all his friends to call on him if in need of anything in his line.

## Notice.

—After Nov. 1st I will sell fresh beef in the quarter or chuck, and fresh pork in whole or halves. Leave orders at W. E. George's residence, 200 Ave. South. All goods will be sold for cash only at reasonable prices.

## Will Serve Chicken Chowder.

Nic Tomczyk will hold a grand opening in his new stand in the brick block on Saturday night, Oct. 30th, at which time he will give a fine chicken chowder to his customers. All are cordially invited to call and visit Nic in his new home.

## Art Calendars.

The Tribune still has a complete selection of art calendars to order from if you have not yet ordered your calendars for 1910. We have two complete lines of samples to select from, and feel that we can supply almost anybody with something that will suit.

People who want to take the Grand Rapids Tribune at the present time and pay for one year in advance may have their subscription credited to the first of January, 1911, thus getting more than two months subscription free of charge. If you take advantage of the offer at once you will be the gainer by it.



Price \$3.50

## Shoe Particulars

Ladies are learning that we have the most desirable FOOTWEAR



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We wish to call your attention to

## OUR \$2.00 SHOES.

Here are illustrated two of the many different styles we are showing in Lace or button in all the different leathers. Vici, Gun Metal and patent. The above are the greatest values ever offered at the price, \$2. SEE THE SHOES.



Price \$2.00



Price \$3.50

TRY TAPPAN'S HOSSIER SCHOOL SHOES FOR WEAR

\$1 to \$2.00

JOHNSON &amp; HILL COMPANY



# LOCK TYPE OF CANAL

## QUICKEST AND SAFEST

By LIEUT. COL. GEO. W. GOETHALS, U.S. ARMY  
CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF ENGINEER, ISTHMIAN CANAL COMMISSION

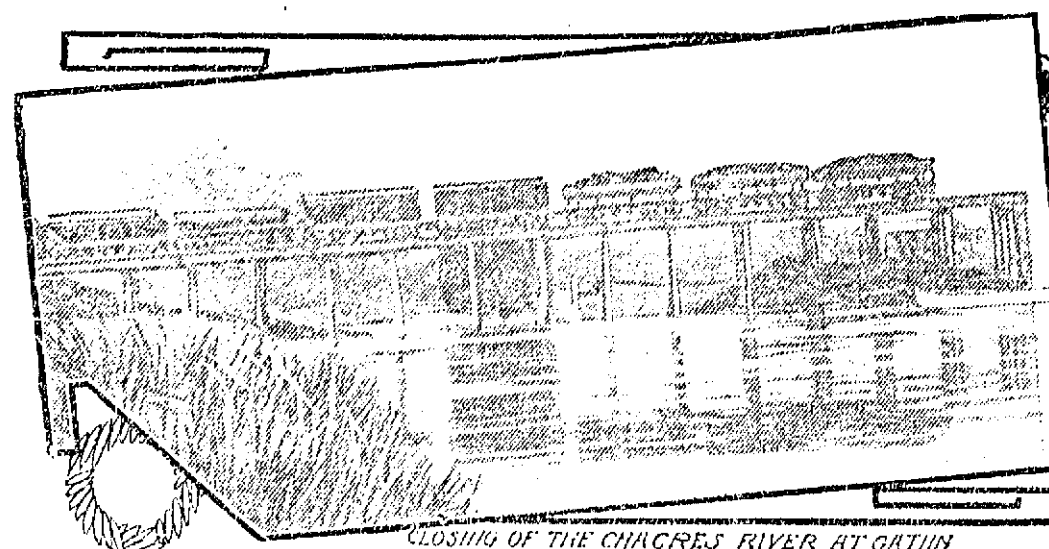
**A** CANAL, connecting the Atlantic and Pacific oceans has occupied public attention for upward of four centuries, during which period various routes have been proposed, each having certain special or peculiar advantages. It was not until the nineteenth century, however, that any definite action was taken looking toward its accomplishment.

In 1876 an organization was perfected in France for making surveys and collecting data on which to base the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama and in 1878 a concession for procuring the work was secured from the Colombian government.

In May, 1879, an international congress was convened,

and complete investigation of the Isthmus of Panama, with a view to the construction of a canal, was made. The two routes known respectively as the Nicaragua route and the Panama route, with a view to determining the most practicable and feasible route for such canal, together with the approximate and probable cost of constructing a canal at each of the two or more of said routes.

The commission reported on November 16, 1881, in favor of Panama and its



CLOSING OF THE CHAGRES RIVER AT GATUN

under the auspices of Ferdinand de Lesseps, to consider the question of the best location and plan of the canal. This congress, after a two weeks' session, decided in favor of the Panama route and of a sea-level canal with out locks. De Lesseps' success with the Suez canal made him a strong advocate of the sea-level type and his opinion had considerable influence in the decision.

Immediately following this action the Panama Canal Company was organized under the general laws of France, with Ferdinand de Lesseps as its president. The concession granted in 1878 by Colombia was purchased by the company and the stock was successively floated in December, 1880. The two years following were devoted largely to surveys, examinations and preliminary work. In the first plan adopted the canal was to be 255 feet deep, with a ruling bottom width of 72 feet. Leaving Gatun, the canal passed through low ground to the valley of the Chagres river at Gatun, a distance of about six miles; thence through the valley for 21 miles, to the Obispo, where, leaving the river, it crossed the continental divide at Culebra by means of a tunnel, and reached the Pacific through the valley of the Rio Grande. The difference in the levels of the two oceans, nine inches in other directions from the mean in the Atlantic and from nine to 11 feet from the same datum in the Pacific was to be overcome and the final currents reduced by a proper sloping of the bottom of the Pacific portion of the canal. No provisions were made for the control of the Chagres river.

In the early eighties, after a study of the flow due to the tidal differences in that lock, the Pacific was provided. Various schemes were also proposed for the control of the Chagres, the most prominent being the construction of a dam at Gatun. The dam as proposed afterward proved to be impracticable and this problem remained for the time being, unsolved. The tunnel through the divide was also abandoned in favor of an open cut.

**First Change from Sea Level to Lock Type.**  
Work was prosecuted on the sea-level canal until 1887, when a change to the lock type was made, in order to secure the use of the canal for navigation as soon as possible. It was agreed at that time that the change in plan did not contemplate abandonment of the sea-level canal, which was ultimately to be secured, but merely its postponement for the time being. In this new plan the summit level was placed above the flood line of the Chagres river, to be supplied with water from that stream by pumps. Work was pushed forward until 1889, when the company went into bankruptcy, and on February 4, that year, a liquidator was appointed to take charge of its affairs. Work was suspended on May 15, 1889. The new Panama Canal Company was organized in October, 1894, when work was again resumed, on the plan recommended by a commission of engineers.

This plan contemplated a sea-level canal from Limon bay to Balboa, where a dam across the valley created a lake extending to Das Obispo, the difference in level being overcome by two locks; the summit level extended from Das Obispo to Paraiso, reached by two more locks, and was supplied with water by a feeder from an artificial reservoir created by a dam at Alhajuela. In the upper Chagres valley, four locks were located on the Pacific side, the two middle ones at Pedro Miguel combined in a flight.

A second or alternative plan was proposed at the same time, by which the summit level was to be a lake formed by the Balboa dam, fed directly by the Chagres. Work was continued on this plan until the rights and property of the new company were purchased by the United States.

**United States Become Interested.**  
The United States, not unmindful of the advantages of an isthmian canal, had from time to time made investigations and surveys of the various routes. With a view to government ownership and control congress directed an investigation of the Nicaraguan canal, for which a concession had been granted to a private company. The resulting report brought about such a discussion of the advantages of the Panama route to the Nicaraguan route that by an act of congress, approved March 3, 1898, a commission was appointed to make full

25 feet above mean tide, extending to Miraflores, the location of the final lock. The ruling bottom width of the canal prism was fixed at 150 feet, increased at the curves and in the submerged channels. In Panama bay the width was fixed at 200 feet and in the artificial channel in Limon bay 500 feet was adopted, with turning places 800 feet wide. The minimum depth was 35 feet and the locks were to have usable lengths of 740 feet and widths of 84 feet. The commission assessed the value of the rights, franchises, concessions, lands, unfinished work, plans and other property, including the railroad of the New Panama Canal Company, at \$40,000,000.

By act of congress, approved June 28, 1902, the president of the United States was authorized to acquire, at a cost not exceeding \$40,000,000, the property rights of the New Panama Canal Company on the Isthmus of Panama and also to secure from the Republic of Colombia perpetual control of a strip of land not less than six miles wide, extending from the Caribbean sea to the Pacific ocean.

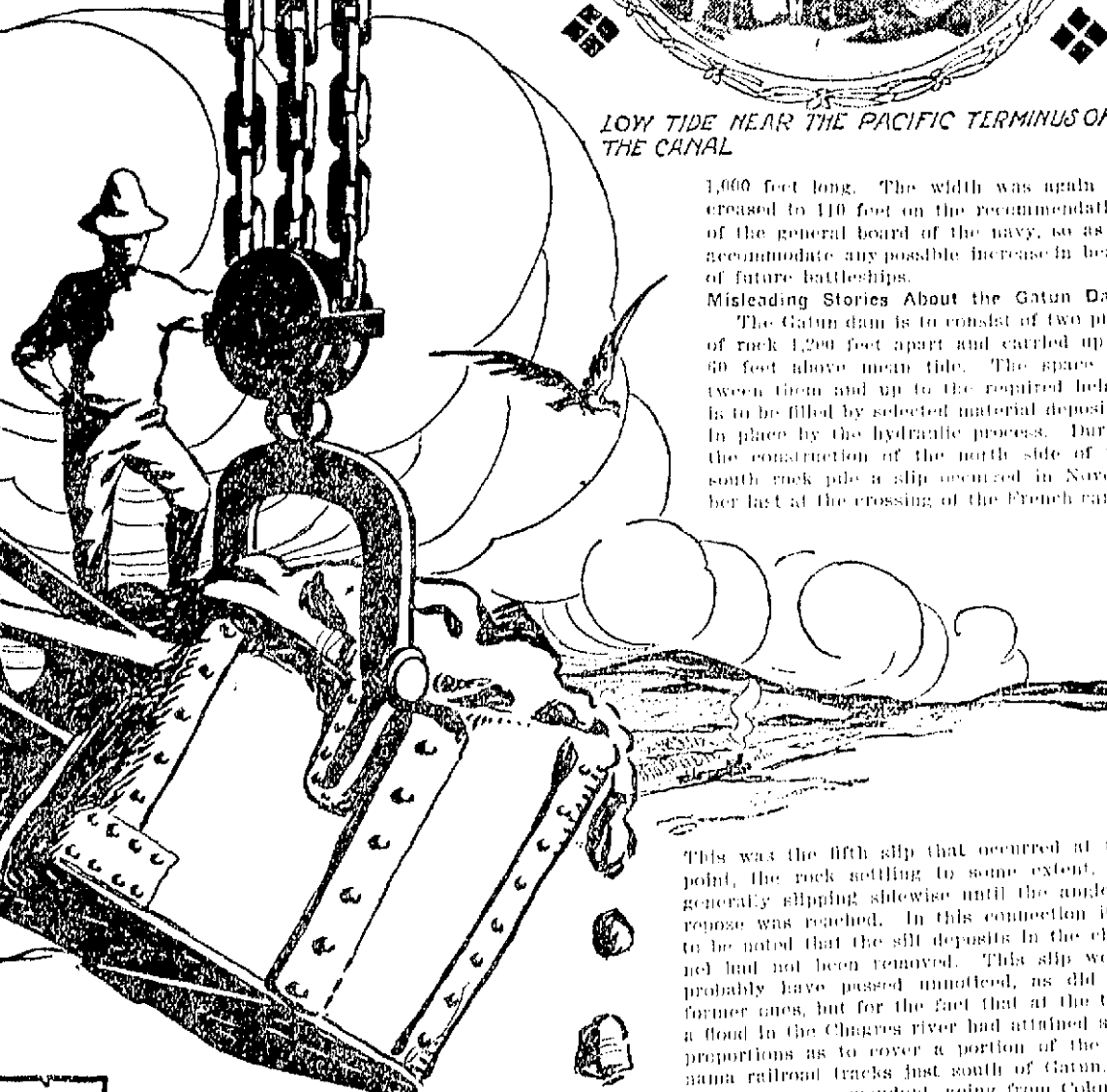
Pursuant to the legislation, negotiations were entered into with Colombia and with the New Panama Canal Company, with the end that a treaty was made with the Republic of Panama granting to the United States control of a 10-mile strip, constituting the Canal Zone, with the right to construct, maintain and operate a canal. This treaty was ratified by the Republic of Panama on December 2, 1903, and by the United States on February 23, 1904.

The formal transfer of the property of the New Panama Canal Company on the Isthmus was made on May 4, 1904, after which the United States began the organization of a force for the construction of the lock type of canal, in the meantime continuing the excavation by utilizing the French material and equipment and such labor as was procurable on the Isthmus.

**Lock Type Is Adopted.**  
The question of a sea-level canal was again agitated and secured such recognition that the president convened the international board of engineers, consisting of 13 members, to assemble at Washington on the first day of September, 1905, for the purpose of considering the various plans for the construction of the canal that would be submitted to it.

As a result of its deliberations the board submitted a majority report and a minority report signed by five of its members, the former advocating a sea-level canal and the latter a lock canal, with the summit level 55 feet above mean tide.

The Isthmian Canal Commission, with one dissenting



LOW TIDE NEAR THE PACIFIC TERMINUS OF THE CANAL

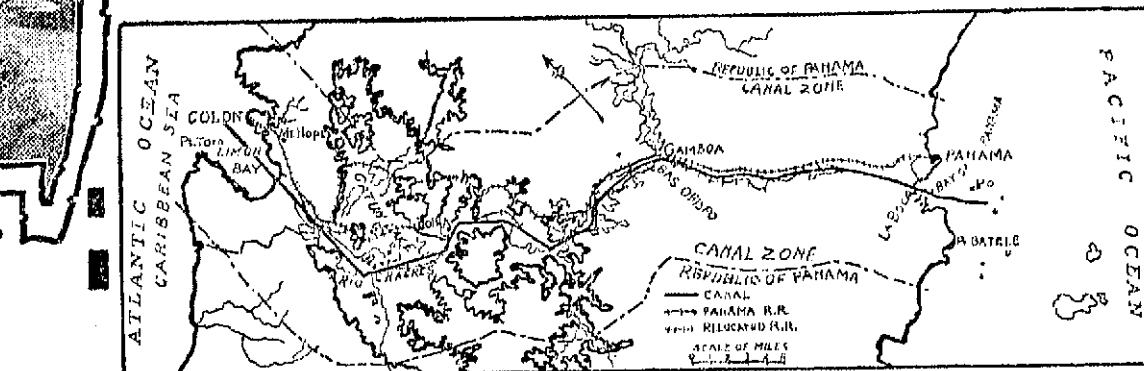
voice, recommended to the president the adoption of the lock type recommended by the minority, which was also strongly advocated by the then chief engineer, Mr. John F. Stevens.

On June 29, 1906, congress provided that the lock type of canal be constructed across the Isthmus of Panama, of the general type proposed by the minority of the board of consulting engineers, and work was continued along these lines. As originally proposed, the plan consisted of a practically straight channel 500 feet wide, 41 feet deep from deep water in the Caribbean to Gatun, where an ascent to the 85-foot level was made by three locks in flight. The level in maintained by a dam approximately 7,700 feet long.

Panama, saw his opportunity for a sensational story and attributed the flood to the dropping of the dam and locks, into the subterranean lake under the dam, which another factor had previously discovered, and the news of the destruction of the Gatun dam was called to the United States.

The slip did not affect the south slope or side of the rock pile, it was entirely local and did not in any way interfere with the work. It would not have occurred had steps been taken during construction to give the proper slope to the rock pile, but economy of time and money did not warrant such precaution. As stated by one of the engineering publications, "We can state from an actual personal examination that this incident has absolutely no engineering significance."

As a result, however, the public is told that dire disaster will follow the undertaking unless the present plans are abandoned and the Straits of Panama constructed -



SKETCH MAP SHOWING PANAMA CANAL AND GATUN LAKE

one-half mile wide at the base, 100 feet wide at the top, constructed to 135 feet above mean tide. The lake, formed by this dam, 171 square miles in extent, carried navigation to Pedro Miguel, where a lock of 30 feet lift carried the vessel down to a lake 55 feet above mean tide, extending to Soa hill, where two locks overcame the difference of level between the lake surface and the Pacific. Nineteen and eight-hundredths miles of the distance from Gatun to Soa hill had a channel 1,000 feet at the bottom, a minimum channel for 4 1/2 miles through Culebra of 200 feet at the bottom. The balance of the distance varied in width to 800 feet, the larger portion of the entire canal being not less than 500 feet. The depth of water was fixed at 45 feet. The lake assured a perfect control of the Chagres river.

**Improvements in Original Plans.**  
Certain changes have been made in the original project, the most important being the withdrawal of the locks from Soa to Miraflores, which was recommended and adopted in December, 1907. This resulted in a change in the direction of the channel in Panama bay. A breakwater is being constructed from Soa to Naos island which, by cutting off the sill-bearing cross-current, which has always been troublesome, protects the channel against silting.

A second change is the widening of the 4 1/2 miles of Culebra cut to a width of 300 feet at the bottom. This was done by executive order and was not made on the recommendation of the commission.

A third change is the location of the breakwaters in Colon harbor. The necessity for these breakwaters was made apparent in the latter part of January, when a storm of some magnitude seriously interfered with shipping. As originally proposed for both sea-level and lock types, the breakwaters were parallel to the axis of the channel excavated in Limon bay. If so constructed, sufficient area would not be given to dissipate the waves entering head on into the channel and they would not afford much, if any, protection to shipping. These breakwaters are to be built out from Manzanillo island and Toro point, so as to give a sheltered anchorage and also an opportunity for such expansion to the waves as to break them up.

A fourth change is in the dimensions of the locks. As proposed by the minority they were 800 feet by 55 feet, usable lengths and widths. These dimensions were subsequently changed by the commission at the instigation of the president to dimensions 100 feet wide and

that is, a sea-level canal across the Isthmus 500 or 600 feet wide. To accomplish this, however, a lock canal must be built first and subsequently widened and deepened until the ideal is reached. There is no data available for such a canal. With mountains instead of hills to be removed estimates are, of course, impossible; so the most optimistic figures, suitable alone to the ideal, are offered as a halt. In any event it is also claimed that Balboa should have been selected for the site of the dam in lieu of Gatun.

As between Gatun and Balboa, at both places the distance from the natural surface to the rock is so great that any attempt to found the dam on the last named material will be attended by enormous expense. At Balboa the gorge in its lower strata is filled with water-bearing gravel, and to make the dam safe the underflow through these strata would have to be cut off by some means extending down 165 feet. No such strata exist at Gatun, so, for this reason alone, leaving out of consideration the advantages in the control of the Chagres river and to navigation by reason of the greater extent of lake, Gatun offers the better site.

Both the majority and minority of the board of consulting engineers considered Gatun a suitable location for a dam; the former adopted it for the typical lock canal used for comparison with the sea-level canal, the latter for the 85-foot summit-level canal. The majority, however, feared the existence of an underground flow in case of the higher dam, but investigations have failed to disclose any. The great mass of underlying material is not sandy and gravelly deposits, as was supposed, but a mixture of these materials so firmly cemented together with clay as to make the strata in which they occur impervious to water.

**Foundation at Gatun Is Satisfactory.**

I venture the statement, without fear of contradiction, that the site of no public or private work of any kind has received such a thorough and exhaustive examination and investigation as the foundation of the dam and locks at Gatun. There is no longer a doubt concerning any of the underlying strata; neither the imperviousness nor the ability of the foundations to bear the loads that will be brought upon them can be questioned if the data be carefully and impartially examined. The investigations fail to disclose any water-bearing strata or the existence of that underground stream with a discharge equal to the Chagres river itself, which was recently asserted as a fact on the floor of the senate.

**Navigation's Date Line.**

The international date line is an irregular line drawn arbitrarily on the map of the Pacific ocean near the one hundred and eightieth meridian of longitude, marking the place where navigators change their date on the trans-Pacific voyage. This change is necessary on account of the lengthening of one hour for every 15 degrees of travel westward. By traveling eastward a day will be gained, westward a day will be lost.

seedless, is of a single tree that was found growing on the northern shore of the Mediterranean sea. This was about the year 1555, or nearly 350 years ago. A monk in a monastery that far away country painted a picture of the fruit and wrote a description of it, both of which may be seen in the library of the Roman Catholic university at Washington. Grafts of this tree were taken to Spain by the Moors several hundred years ago, and from Spain the trees were carried to South America by the Spaniards.

"Making friends with the panthers, I see," he remarked pleasantly. "They are nice, companionable beasts."

"That may have been true at the time. The fact remains, however, that three months afterward one of them devoured a native child."—Weekly Telegraph.

**The Navel Orange.**

The first we know of the navel orange, which is very valuable not only on account of its fine quality and taste, but also because of its being

## A Great Bridge Builder

One of the greatest masters of the art of the engineer that this country of inventive and resourceful minds has ever produced was the late Leffert L. Buffum, who died at his home near New York on July 17. Mr. Buffum, among many important engineering projects, was notably identified with the linking of New York and Brooklyn by great bridges. He was the designer and builder of the second of these

Brooklyn bridges and the consulting engineer of the third. His steel-arch bridges at Niagara Falls are regarded as landmarks in the history of that city. His pioneer work in Peru and Ecuador as the builder of difficult pieces of railroad involving high bridges and viaducts gave him a reputation on the west coast of South America for marvelous skill and efficiency under difficult circumstances that no other man has equaled in the Andean regions. His modesty and unselfishness were as great as his courage and his professional skill. In all his qualities he was an honor to the self-sacrificing profession of civil engineering, which has done so much to place our country in the forefront of modern nations. —American Review of Reviews.

A man always expects his wife to be a lot better than he could possibly be. —New York Morning Telegraph.

**Oldest Christian Relic in England.**

For some time past efforts have been made to raise funds in order to protect from the ravages of wind and weather and the encroachment of the drifting sands, the ruins of St. Piran's oratory at Perranzabuloe, said to be the oldest Christian relic of its kind in England. It is now proposed to build a protecting house of concrete around the ruins. If this protection is not forthcoming it is probable that "the lost church," as it is locally known, will be again buried beneath

the sands which covered it for 50 years centuries. It is generally believed to be the original Church of St. Piran, to whom the Cornish miners give the credit of first showing them tin, and who was one of the most notable of the many Cornish saints. —London Standard.

You may be able to fool yourself, but you can't fool the fool-kicker.

More spinsters might marry if other women didn't marry so often.

## Panthers as Household Pets

"A British official in an out-of-the-way Persian district invited me to stay at his house for a night," narrates a globe trotter. "I was comfortably settled upon a sofa, just before dinner, when my rest was suddenly disturbed by a loud bang at the sitting room door, which, flying open, admitted two enormous animals, which I at first took for dogs."

"Both of them made at once for my

sofa, and, while the larger one curled comfortably round my feet and composed itself to sleep, the smaller one seated itself on the floor and commenced licking my face and hands, and operation which had I dared I should strongly have resented."

"But these white, gleaming teeth and flashing green eyes filled me with something akin to terror. To my relief, my host entered at this juncture,

with a thousand per cent. increase in excess of the true increase, hoping thereby that the public would turn and rend the legislators. Instead of which the public has either quietly reduced its expenditures on alcohol or boycotted the saloons of notorious offenders. The German cafetiers, too, have begun to raise the price of a cup of coffee by a cent in order to recoup themselves for an increase in taxation to the extent of a quarter of a cent and have met with the same fate at the hands of the consumer."

Can Not Escape Taxation.

Every day fresh instances are coming to light of how strenuous efforts are being made in Germany to evade various forms of the new and heavy taxation. The imperial postal authorities tried to escape the new taxes on gas mantles and electric globes by getting in a huge stock in advance of the day from which the altered legislation came into force. The brewers in their spite against the government have attempted to charge the public

# IN VOGUE

## NEW MODE WELCOME

RETURN TO NATURAL FIGURE IS THE DECREE.

Marks End of the Grotesque in Fashion—Probability, However, That the Waistline Is to Be Lowered.

Time placed at the three French fashions here will reveal to the delighted eye of the fashioning world that fashion has decreed a return to the natural figure. These attenuated

ladies who looked so long drawn out in all the fashion plates, have had their day. There are to be no more to be squeezed into the figure of a cone, or a cylinder, or a column. It is in order, but let us rather in the name of the natural figure and make the most of it while it lasts. There is no telling what will come after it, unless, women, be come rebellious and refuse to try to remodel themselves into something unlike the human form divine.

It is whispered that the great Parisian intends to lower the waistline as much below the normal as it has been above, and that this natural figure is the step between the two extremes.

In the meantime, the new fashions are exactly to the figure is beautiful, fully clothed with apparel that does not show to us, "How do you like this figure, for a change?" Perhaps we may grow sensible and refuse to

depart from the natural figure. We have made more or less successful (and often grotesque) efforts in the direction of the various "new figures" to which our attention is so clamorously called each season. Mention the best "fashionable" have gone on as recently following the prevailing modes at a distance, governed by their own sweet wills. As beauty is always in fashion they have avoided extremes and kept close to the natural figure, not attempting to improve on the lovely lines of the normal feminine form, and clothing these combinations are exceedingly themselves tastefully. One can do good.

**A SCALLOPED BED SPREAD**  
Properly Done, This Gives Decidedly Fancy Appearance to a Room.

To vary the monotony or to give a more fancy appearance to the bedroom, the coverlet for the metal bed is now frequently scalloped before its valance is attached.

To do this it is not necessary to have a pattern, but to cut the top of the coverlet so that at the head of the bed there is allowance for the hem, while at the end and sides there will be a fall of ten inches. This fall or extra material is then cut into long, shallow scallops, nine inches deep in their centers. Each side of the coverlet will accommodate four scallops, with three may be made across the foot.

A population of ruffs is then gathered and sewed along this scalloped edge; but in cutting this valance it should measure once and a half the length or the actual scalloped edge.

It may either fall unevenly at the bottom or be cut such a length that it may be sloped evenly near the floor. Or the whole, the scalloped edge is less stiff and more fluffy.

A coverlet of this type should be made of flowered cloth or of dotted Swiss or plain white mull, and either of the white coverlets may be used over a colored spread.

**Gift for the Bride.**

Green corn cobs in silver and gold glass are an ideal gift for a young bride.

They are low dishes, shaped like a trough, and are long enough to hold a large ear of corn. With each dish is a pair of little silver dippers, which are thrust into the ends of the ears and held while eating corn from the ear.

The dishes stand on squat ball feet, and are to be had in handsome silver designs and cut glass.

**HAT FOR AFTERNOON**

Of dark electric blue velvet, a soft crown of lace in the annus shade, and black edgework.

**Skirt and Blouse Hint.**

The surest way to keep skirt and blouse together is to sew eyes to the blouse and hooks to the skirt. When the blouse is worn underneath the eyes should go at the top of the belt, one hook to each side of the middle, while the hooks go at similar distances on the inner side of the skirt band.

Stout women whose hips are large will find it more satisfactory to put hooks and eyes on the skirt and blouse are fastened under the arms also. This can be managed by putting an eye at the side seam of the waistband with hooks to correspond on the skirt.

**READY FOR PAPERING SEASON**

Points as to Tone and Color That Will Make Abode Really Harmonious.

When bare walls must be covered here are a few hints worth remembering:

Never use large figured papers on low ceilings rooms. Plain color or self-toned stripes increase the apparent height.

Do not use red or dark green paper on a dark room; they absorb the light. Yellow, white, or creamy tints are much more cheerful.

Light blue and pink paper on rooms flooded with sunlight look well—until faded. If papers cannot be renewed often choose tones more trustworthy.

Where pictures are to be hung select a plain background.

Never put a garish paper in a room that is to be used for an invalid.

Do not buy too costly papers if your income is small. Artistic effects can now be had at small cost and the most expensive papers sell quickly

and need renewing. "Cheap and clean" is a good motto in papering.

A good quality of paper may often be had at reduced cost by getting rolls that are a season or two behind the fashion.

Do not go in for deep borders, ornate friezes, or dados in a small room. Remember that simplicity is never in poor taste nor does one tire of it.

Marked styles in papering date themselves as surely as an exaggerated hat or frock coat and can be less quickly discarded.

The present fancy of doing an entire house or floor in different tones of one color is effective, restful, and gives an air of openness and harmony to a house that is not obtained by having each room different.

**The Cozier Feather Returning.**  
Cozier feathered hats are being worn again and will be an important trimming item in autumn millinery.

The gumpie that is fastened to the band of the petticoat of the small girl will not rise in ugly lines about the shoulders.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE



# LOCK TYPE OF CANAL

## QUICKEST AND SAFEST

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**A** CANAL connecting the Atlantic and Pacific oceans has occupied public attention for upward of four centuries, during which period various routes have been proposed, each having certain special or peculiar advantages. It was not until the nineteenth century, however, that any definite action was taken looking toward its accomplishment.

In 1876 an organization was perfected in France for making surveys and collecting data on which to base the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama and in 1878 a concession for prosecuting the work was secured from the Colombian government.

In May, 1879, an international congress was convened,

and complete investigation of the Isthmus of Panama, with a view to the construction of a canal to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. The congress was particularly interested in the Nicaragua route and the Panama route, with a view to determining the most practicable and feasible route for such canal, together with the approximate and probable cost of constructing a canal at each of the two or more of said routes.

The commission reported on November 16, 1901, in favor of Panama and rec-



CLOSING OF THE CHAGRES RIVER AT GATUN

under the auspices of Ferdinand de Lesseps, to consider the question of the best location and plan of the canal. This congress, after a two weeks' session, decided in favor of the Panama route and of a sea-level canal with locks. De Lesseps' success with the Suez canal made him a strong advocate of the sea-level type and his opinion had considerable influence in the decision.

Immediately following this action the Panama Canal Company was organized under the general laws of France, with Ferdinand de Lesseps as its president. The concession granted in 1878 by Colombia was purchased by the company and the stock was fully floated in December, 1880. The two years following were devoted largely to surveys, examinations and preliminary work. In the first plan adopted the canal was to be 225 feet deep, with a ruling bottom width of 72 feet. Leaving Colon, the canal passed through low ground to the valley of the Chagres river at Gatun, a distance of about six miles; thence through this valley for 21 miles, to Obispo, where, leaving the river, it crossed the continental divide at Culebra by means of a tunnel, and reached the Pacific through the valley of the Rio Grande. The difference in the tides of the two oceans, nine inches in either direction from the mean in the Atlantic and from nine to 11 feet from the same datum in the Pacific, was to be overcome and the tidal currents reduced by a proper sloping of the bottom of the canal. No provisions were made for the control of the Chagres river.

In the early eighties, after a study of the flow due to the tidal differences a tidal lock near the Pacific was provided. Various schemes were also proposed for the control of the Chagres, the most prominent being the construction of a dam at Gatun. The dam as proposed afterward proved to be impracticable and this problem remained for the time being unsolved. The tunnel through the divide was also abandoned in favor of an open cut.

**First Change from Sea Level to Lock Type.**

Work was prosecuted on the sea-level canal until 1887, when a change to the lock type was made, in order to secure the use of the canal for navigation as soon as possible. It was agreed at that time that the change in plan did not contemplate abandonment of the sea-level canal, which was ultimately to be secured, but merely its postponement for the time being. In this plan the summit level was placed above the flood line of the Chagres river, to be supplied with water from that stream by means of a dam. Work was pushed forward until that stream by means of a dam. Work was pushed forward until that stream by means of a dam. Work was pushed forward until that stream by means of a dam.

February 4, that year, a liquidator was appointed to take charge of its affairs. Work was suspended on May 15, 1889. The new Panama Canal Company was organized in October, 1894, when work was again resumed. On the plan recommended by a commission of engineers.

This plan centered a dam across the valley created a lake extending to Bas Obispo, the difference in level being overcome by two locks; the summit level extended from Bas Obispo to Paraiso, reached by two more locks, and was supplied with water by a feeder from an artificial reservoir created by a dam at Altamira. In the upland reservoir created by a dam at Altamira. In the upland reservoir created by a dam at Altamira.

A second or alternative plan was proposed at the same time, by which the summit level was to be a lake formed by the Bolio dam, fed directly by the Chagres. Work was continued on this plan until the rights and property of the new company were purchased by the United States.

**United States Become Interested.**

The United States, not unmindful of the advantages of an isthmian canal, had from time to time made investigations and surveys of the various routes. With a view to government ownership and control congress directed an investigation of the Nicaraguan canal, for which a concession had been granted to a private company. The resulting report brought about such a discussion of the advantages of the Panama route to the Nicaraguan route that by an act of congress, approved March 3, 1899, a commission was appointed to make full

amended the lock type of canal. The plan consisted of a sea-level section from Colon to Balboa, where a dam across the Chagres valley created a summit level 82 to 99 feet above the sea, reached by two locks. The lake or summit level extended from Balboa to Pedro Miguel, where two locks connected it with a pool

of water, which was to be supplied with water from that stream by means of a dam.

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# VOICES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt

Marked corn is at least once a week. Therefore, the farmer who does not mark his corn is at a disadvantage. The corn that is marked will be found in the field when the time comes to harvest it. The corn that is not marked will be lost. The farmer who marks his corn will be able to find it when the time comes to harvest it. The farmer who does not mark his corn will be at a disadvantage.

Give fruit trees plenty of light and air. There is always more danger of getting too much together than too far apart.

It may be necessary to have a small pen, and follow a system of breeding to that there may not be too much inbreeding, or too much inbreeding.

Coasting a little lowly into what has been a place of a moderate elevation, which is expected to have an influence in extending the reaction toward country life.

Hay farming is sometimes called minding the land because it is compared to gradually remove and exchange the fertility of the land in the same way that mining removes the ore rapidly.

One of the most common methods of blanching is by means of boards placed on edge along each side of the row of celery. This method is also in general use for blanching large fields of early celery.

A horse that has been worked 12 to 15 hours during the day is entitled to a good feed. Twelve quarts of oats, crated into three meals, and from eight to ten pounds of hay, given at night, make a good ration.

The apple market is one of the greatest moneymakers to the apple culture and is one of the most difficult pests to eradicate. It inhibits the interior of the fruit and to destroy it means the destruction of the apple tree.

If hens are made comfortable in every way and have only these giving of a normal crop of feathers, and are fed liberally with nutritious protein feeds, they will come through the molting period in good condition and will be ready in a short time to lay eggs for the high market.

An experiment with milking machines by the Nebraska experiment station shows that the majority of cows yield their milk as freely and fully when milked with a machine as when milked by hand, but with some individual animals the use of the machine is not entirely successful.

Fall is a good time to give the farm a general overhauling. Especial attention should be given to building and repairing. The roads are good and the field soils where the building must be done. It is a better time than spring to fix up the fences as the ground is not wet. Building of sheds and general repairing is best done when the material and ground are dry.

Clover in wheat or oat stubble. In tended for hay next year should not be too heavily pastured this fall. Cutting over the field once or twice with the mowing machine will give the young plants a better chance to light and air, and the weeds and stubble under will help form a mulch for holding moisture during the dry weather and keep the plants from freezing in cold weather.

It is not an easy matter to cure cow peas hay, the vines, being so large so full of sap, cure slowly, and with unfavorable weather the hay is apt to damage badly. If not spotted heavily it is cured enough to stack or put in the mow. The difficulty of harvesting and curing cow peas hay, its tendency to become woody and the lower yield per acre, make this crop for hay production less valuable than alfalfa where alfalfa can be successfully grown.

Following the feeding of rye before other soiling crops mature, an unused field should be kept in reserve and the cows turned in when the grass in the early pasture is eaten. If a field of the farm is in winter wheat and another field in oats, and these fields are sown in clover in early spring and the wheat and oats removed as soon as possible after harvest, these fields may be used as dairy pastures for a short time to good effect, while the other pastures are recuperating.

From early in the fall until the first of the year when the severe weather sets in, a fairly good storage house for the farm can be found in any tight building that is provided with proper ventilation. Fruits and vegetables can be stored in such a building and kept in good condition for many weeks with proper care. The manner in which this can be done is to place the vegetables and fruits in the building, keeping the doors and windows closed during the day and open them at night. By opening the doors and windows at night the place becomes chilled and the warm air is kept out during the day when the doors and windows are closed.

To exhaust the land as little as possible it is necessary not to strip in top dressing, but to put back the greater part of the fertility that is taken out by the crop, returning it in the form of manure or chemicals, or both combined.

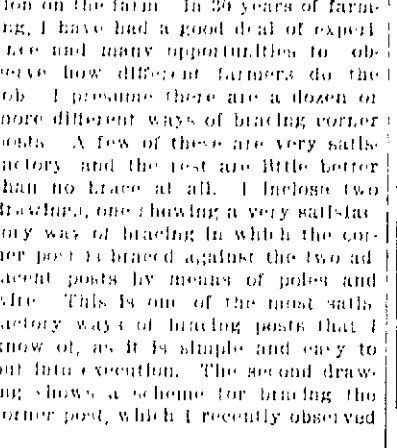
Four feet is high enough to permit blackberries to grow. Slender, late, immature canes should be cut out entirely if there are longer ones. It is an immense bearer, and a severe cutting back often makes the difference between profit and loss in the yield.

## ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

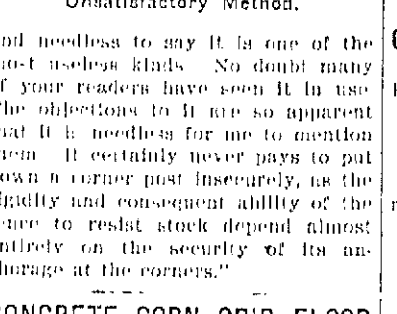
### BRACING OF CORNER POSTS

Corner of Thirty Years' Experience  
Tells of Practical Methods That Are Satisfactory.

The bracing of corner posts, which a Park County farmer in an exchange, "is always a live question on the farm. In 20 years of farming, I have had a good deal of experience and many opportunities to observe how different farmers do the job. In some cases there are a dozen or more different ways of bracing corner posts. A few of these are very satisfactory, and the rest are little better than no brace at all. I believe two drawings, one showing a very satisfactory way of bracing in which the corner post is braced against the two adjacent posts by means of poles and wire. This is one of the most satisfactory ways of bracing posts that I know of, as it is simple and easy to put into execution. The second drawing shows a scheme for bracing the corner post, which I recently observed.



Foundation of Road.  
spot many loads of field stones and lumberable boulders, large and small. Some of them weighed several tons, and it is asserted that there is not in all probability another road in the country which can boast of such a foundation as the one which was constructed in the laying of the town's boulevard. In some parts of the road it has a solid stone foundation of several feet.



Unsatisfactory Method.  
and needless to say it is one of the most useless kinds. No doubt many of your readers have seen it in use. The objections to it are so apparent that it is needless for me to mention them. It certainly never pays to put down a corner post insecurely, as the liability and consequent ability of the fence to resist stock depend almost entirely on the security of its anchorage at the corners.

### CUTTING AND SHOCKING CORN

How to Do It Properly and Directions for Making Good That Is Almost Invaluable.

To make a good corn shock, cut the rib from the back of an old scythe blade, then take eight inches of blade and punch two holes in one end. Make a handle 18 or 24 inches long, saw a slot in one end, insert blade and adjust tightly in place. If copper rivets are not at hand, short pieces of 8-gauge wire nails may be used.

In average corn a convenient size for shocks is 12 hills square. Set corn nearly straight up. If it leans much the shock is apt to twist. After cutting half of the shock, that is, six rows, bind the shock firmly, then cut the other six rows and bind tightly again. If the corn or fodder is very green or the weather damp a good plan is to cut only half of shock row over the whole field, then go back to the beginning and cut the other half. Then the inside of shock crows well and there is no moldy corn.

When setting up the corn the shock should be kept well balanced. If more corn is set on one side than the other the hay side will push the shock over.

### FARM NO PASTORAL FANTASY

Now Methodical Proposition and There Has Been Rapid Advance in Late Years.

Farming today is no pastoral fantasy. It is a commercial and industrial exploitation of soil products that is not only half of the modern life, but also the life of the future. The saving, gathering and marketing of grain is now a methodical business proposition, and there has been a sharp advance in recent years from the methods of colonial days.

It was harvest time; we felt like land-going mariners, as we sped amid the seas of golden grain that bowed and eddied and whispered in the wind, writes Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine. Here and there a graceful white hedge spoke of the refreshing shade of bygone harvest days. How good the cool water tasted long ago to "us boys" when, hot and weary, we paused a moment to drink from the big jug in the shade or sat down beneath the willows during the noon hour.

As we sped toward the setting sun a curly-headed young man was noted in the smoker, immersed in gray-colored folders concerning regulations for filing on reservation land. He had been a clerk in the east for many years and had harkened to the alluring voice of the west.

"I am going to find a fruit farm and learn how it feels to have land of my own."

In the silence that followed I began to whistle sympathetically "Farmer John." Bless his heart—he appreciated the point of my little joke, and we proceeded to whistle a duet—with the roar of the train as an accompaniment.

### Watermelons in Alaska.

Prof. C. C. Geoghegan, head of the agricultural experiment station in Alaska, has arrived from Nome and says that recently he ate watermelons grown in the open at Manley Hot Springs, in the Tanana valley, was served with tomatoes grown in the open, saw a cornfield where the stalks stood seven feet high and traveled through farms on the Yukon where wheat, barley, oats and rye were maturing.

### Low Roosts Beneficial.

When heavy broods of chickens are compelled to jump from high roosts bumblefoot and leg weakness are the result. Low perches are the best for nearly all classes of fowls.

### Secure Good Seed Corn.

If you have not good corn seed of your own, find out who has and arrange to secure some of the best before the seed is all sold. It is no more trouble to get it now than it will be after awhile, and perhaps after awhile it will be all gone.

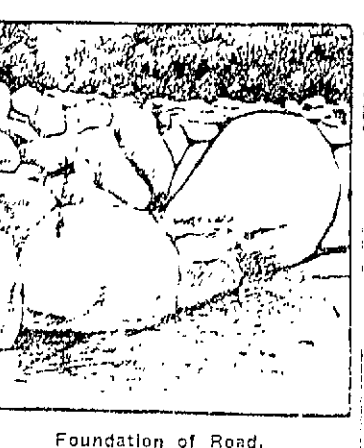
### Don't Trust to Luck.

Don't trust to luck, because you will nearly always encounter bad luck if you work on that system. Eliminate every element of chance you can by knowing your business.

## GENTLE REBUKE FROM PULPIT

Yet One Somehow Cannot Help Wondering Whether Sermon Was Worth Listening To.

Somewhere in the pages of his pleasant book of days, Mr. Long Park Park is to be found a chapter of his New England clerical friend, a minister who was a man of his gravity and no less a man of his wit. He employed more than one device to secure his own part of the party, his witty conversation. Standing during the prayer was but one of many. Mr. grandfather used to tell me with pride of an instance which occurred at a time when a new church edifice had been proposed, and was under warm discussion. Great grandfather thought this a worthy and unnecessary expense, and emphasized in common by pointing in the midst of his sermon on a Sunday, saving the possibility, as he fixed the somewhat numbers of his congregation with a stern look.



### BABY'S WATERY ECZEMA.

Itched and Scratched Until Blood Ran—\$50 Spent on Useless Treatments—Disease Seemed Incurable.

Cured by Cuticura for \$1.50.

"When my little boy was two and a half months old he broke out on both cheeks with eczema. It was the itchy, watery kind, and we had to keep his little hands wrapped up all the time, and if he would happen to get them unwrapped he would claw his face till the blood streamed down on his clothing. We called in a physician at once, but he gave an ointment which was so severe that my baby would scream when it was put on. We changed doctors and medicine until we had spent fifty dollars or more and baby was getting worse. I was so worn out with waiting and caring for him night and day that I almost felt sure the disease was incurable. But finally reading of the good results of the Cuticura Remedies, I determined to try them. I can truthfully say I was more than surprised, for I bought only a dollar and a half's worth of the Cuticura Remedies (Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills), and they did more good than all my doctors' medicines I had tried, and in fact entirely cured him. His face is perfectly clear of the least spot or scar of anything. Mrs. W. M. Conner, Burnt Cabins, Pa., Sept. 15, 1908."

Patent Drug & Chem. Corp. Sole Proprietors, Boston.

### IT IS.

She—John Henry! I wonder how you can sit there and look me in the face.

He—So do I, my love; but it's surprising what a rock-solid brave man can do!

### By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Gardner, Maine—"I have been a great sufferer from organic troubles and nervousness. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but I could not bear to have my family and my life in danger. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I was entirely cured. It was a wonderful cure. I was a sufferer from organic troubles and nervousness. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but I could not bear to have my family and my life in danger. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I was entirely cured. It was a wonderful cure. I was a sufferer from organic troubles and nervousness. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but I could not bear to have my family and my life in danger. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I was entirely cured. It was a wonderful cure. I was a sufferer from organic troubles and nervousness. 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# NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt

Mares bred in November will drop their colts the following October.

What a great debt the world owes the farmer for the many good things he produces.

Never keep more hens than you can accommodate comfortably, because they never do well when crowded.

The sale of saddle horses in New York city has been 20 per cent. more during the present year than it was last.

Give fruit trees plenty of light and good cooling room. There is always more danger of setting trees too close together than too far apart.

It may be necessary to have several pens and follow a system of line breeding so that there may not be too much inbreeding or loose breeding.

Coaxing a little loveliness into what have been waste places in a modern mansion, which is expected to have an influence in extending the reaction toward country life.

Hay farming is sometimes called mining the land because it is supposed to gradually remove and exhaust the fertility of the farm in the same way that mining removes the ore supplies.

One of the most common methods of blanching is by means of boards placed on edge along each side of the row of celery. This method is also in general use for blanching large fields of early celery.

A horse that has been worked 12 to 15 hours during the day is entitled to a good feed. Twelve quarts of oats, divided into three meals, and from eight to ten pounds of hay, given at night, make a good ration.

The apple maggot is one of the greatest enemies to the apple culture and is one of the most difficult pests to eradicate. It inhabits the interior of the fruit and to destroy it means the destruction of the apple itself.

If hens are made comfortable in every way and have only these growing of a normal crop of feathers, and are fed liberally, the autumn plumage will come through the moulting period in good condition and will be ready in a short time to lay eggs for the high market.

An experiment with milking machines by the Nebraska experiment station shows that the majority of cows yield their milk as freely and fully when milked with a machine as when milked by hand, but with some individual animals the use of the machine is not entirely successful.

Fall is a good time to give the farm a general overhauling. Especial attention should be given to hauling and repairing. The roads are good and the fields solid where the hauling must be done. It is a better time than spring to fix the fences, as the ground is not wet. Building of sheds and mending fences is best done when the material and ground are dry.

Clover in wheat or oat stubble intended for hay next year should not be too heavily pastured this fall. Cutting over the field once or twice with the mowing machine will give the young plants a better chance to light and air, and the weeds and stubble mowed off will help form a mulch for holding moisture during the dry weather and keep the plants from freezing in cold weather.

It is not an easy matter to cure cowpox hay, the vines, being so large and so full of sap, cure slowly, and with unfavorable weather the hay is apt to damage badly. If not spoiled before it is cured enough to stack or put in the mow. The difficulty of harvesting and curing cowpox hay, its tendency to become woody and the lower yield per acre, make this crop for hay production less valuable than alfalfa where alfalfa can be successfully grown.

Following the feeding of rye before other selling crops mature, an unused pasture should be kept in reserve and the cows turned on when the grass in the early pasture is eaten short. If a field of the farm is in winter wheat and another field in oats, and these fields are sown in clover in early spring and the wheat and oats removed as soon as possible after harvest these fields may be used as dairy pastures for a short time to good effect, while the other pastures are recuperating.

From early in the fall until the first of the year when the severe weather sets in, a fairly good storage house for the farm can be found in any tight building that is provided with proper ventilation. Fruits and vegetables can be stored in such a building and be kept in good condition for many weeks with proper care. The manner in which this can be done is to place the vegetables and fruits in the building, keeping the doors and windows closed during the day, and opening them at night. By opening the doors and windows at night the place becomes chilled and the warm air is kept out during the day time when the doors and windows are closed.

To exhaust the land as little as possible it is necessary not to scrimp in top dressing, but to put back the greater part of the fertility that is taken out by the crop, returning it in the form of manure or chemicals, or both combined.

Four feet is high enough to permit blackberries to grow. Slender, late, immature canes should be cut out entirely if there are longer ones. It is an immense bearer, and a severe cutting back often makes the difference between profit and loss in the yield.

Ducks need green food, as well as other poultry.

Marked your eggs at least once a week, either if possible.

Develop the digestive apparatus of the pig and then crowd in the feed and put on the fat.

Sheep should be given salt every day. Once a week is not sufficient. They will not eat too much.

An apple or a peach may do well in Texas or California, but 500 miles distant, or even 100—it may not be desirable.

At the time for hogging down corn the soil usually is comparatively dry, hence little or no damage is done from the pasturing.

To promote animal growth requires feed, and the shedding of hair or feathers takes place sooner on a fat animal than on a poor animal.

In going into winter quarters, be sure that every cow is in the best of condition. If any are below standard nurse and feed them up at once, because they never do well when crowded.

If a boy is often told that he is not earning his salt, he is more than likely to reach that conclusion himself and his training will be made on that line.

The Roman hyacinth and the polyanthus or cluster varieties of narcissus are among the very quickest and easiest of bulbs for forcing, either in water or in earth.

Both for the house and for garden use there are a number of small bulbs not generally well known that are worth looking up if one cares for a little experimental trial.

The moulting period for chickens is at hand. During this period we may expect to see a number of the heads of the hens heavily drawn upon for the growth of a new crop of feathers.

Shell-pink Italian hyacinths, surrounding a yellow crown imperial, will make a lovely filling for a small lawn bed. The Italian hyacinths are very similar to the Roman ones, but bloom rather later.

There is little cause for complaint in regard to prices for cattle that are well fitted for the market this year. The man who markets the low-priced stock is the one who is reaping his losses in the low prices.

In dairying there are some natural unfavorable conditions that can never be fully overcome. However, most of them can be modified to a marked degree, and fairly good results be obtained in the face of them.

Alsike clover makes very fine hay when properly cured, but it cannot be depended upon for a second crop. It is not quite so good a soil improver as red clover, but it will stick longer and grow in more acid soil.

A brood sow should be fed a variety of such as corn, clover, etc. Corn is fattening and should not be fed in large quantities. It promotes neither growth of the sow nor pigs. Some green vegetable food should be given in winter.

When pastures are short, all domestic animals suffer for feed, and if they are expected to keep up in good flesh, health and vitality they must be supplied with sufficient nourishing feed to meet all their vital needs. When pastures are short supplementary feeds must be supplied.

The pig may not use its tail for switching away the flies, and it may require some feed to make the tail grow, but any sensible person knows that giving a pig a variety of good feeds has more to do with its fattening and growing than the cutting off of the tail or the sitting of its ears.

Fall planting is strongly recommended for such important perennials as peonies, German and Japan iris, and for many lilies. The German iris is one of the best plants for colonizing, holding its form finely, and admirably in which the margins of a little stream or pond.

Get after apple tree borers this fall. Dig them out of their burrows. It is an easy matter to find their location by the residue from their work. When found, dig out with a sharp knife, or killed with a small wire—the wire being inserted and forced upon the insect where it is working. Do not injure the bark more than is necessary in cutting out the pest.

Roup in fowls is a germ disease and hence infectious. When it makes its appearance in your flock separate the affected birds from the well ones as soon as possible. The symptoms of roup are a slight cold, sneezing, watering of the eyes, and a wheezing at night. Disinfect the quarters immediately in which the birds stay to prevent the disease from spreading. Bathe the head, nostrils and throat of the sick birds with coal oil.

If there is no other trash on the farm for filling washy places in the field, the straw from the crops is excellent. The straw will fill the places and catch and hold all of the soil that washes into them. The manure in the straw will help to make the ground more productive when it is again cultivated. Never plow in a gully with fresh dirt without some trashy or trashy filling to hold it and catch more.

Nitrogen must be maintained by legume crops and the best legume for the corn belt is clover. The clover crop should be left on the ground. If removed, not much, if any, nitrogen is added to the soil. If the crop is removed and fed to average live stock and the manure given average care and hauled back to the field, the loss is nearly one-half of the plant food and three-fourths of the organic matter. If a good crop of clover is left on the ground once every three or four years, only the seeds being removed, it will supply sufficient nitrogen for quite large grain crops.

Humus is essential to all soils. It provides that mechanical condition of the soil which is ideal for plant growth by lessening and mellowing the soil. It increases the water holding capacity, and thus the plant-food-holding capacity. It furnishes food for useful micro-organisms, which in turn convert the nitrogen of the organic matter into a form that is available for the crops; it adds to bringing into solution difficult soluble minerals that contain plant food, and it yields a small amount of mineral plant food itself.

## ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

BRACING OF CORNER POSTS

Farmer of Thirty Years' Experience Tells of Practical Methods That Are Satisfactory.

"The bracing of corner posts," writes a Polk county (Ia.) farmer in an exchange, "is always a live question on the farm. In 30 years of farming, I have had a good deal of experience, and many opportunities to observe how different farmers do the job. I presume there are a dozen or more different ways of bracing corner posts. A few of these are very satisfactory, and the rest are little better than no brace at all. I include two drawings, one showing a very satisfactory way of bracing in which the corner post is braced against the two adjacent posts by means of poles and wire. This is one of the most satisfactory ways of bracing posts that I know of, as it is simple and easy to put into execution, and shows a very satisfactory way of bracing in which the corner post is braced against the two adjacent posts by means of poles and wire. 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**Practical Courses for Chemical Engineering.**  
Nine courses in methods of testing gas, fuel and oil in chemical industries, the manufacture of iron and steel, and other important subjects are given this year by the chemical engineering department of the University of Wisconsin.  
One course, consisting mainly of practice in the laboratory, will give students opportunity to learn methods employed in industrial works in testing fuel, gas and oil. Prof. G. E. Burgess will give a course in the chemical industries, in which the important chemical materials, the use of by-products and their relation to the cost of materials, transportation, labor and plant equipment, all will be considered.  
In a course on electrometallurgy and electrochemistry by Dr. O. P. Watts, students will investigate the deposition and refining of metals, the electrolytic manufacture of chemicals, storage and primary batteries, and similar subjects. The theory of the constitution of alloys, the effect of chemical composition, mechanical working and heat treatment of such metals, with laboratory work, microscopic examination of metals, and lectures will form one course, and another will be given in which the manufacture of pig iron, its conversion into steel, special steels, and the mechanical working in the rolling mill and foundry, form another.

**Towns Must Erect Guide Boards**  
In accordance with a law passed by the last legislature each town must come to be erected before November first, 1909, guide boards along the main traveled highways. The posts for this purpose shall project 7 1/2 feet above the ground. There shall be painted upon such boards in plain black Roman letters not less than two and one-half inches high the names of adjoining or important towns, villages or cities to and through which said public highway leads, the distance in miles of such town, village or city from such guide post, and any indication of direction which shall be helpful to the traveler.  
If any person shall deface, injure or destroy any such guide board, and shall neglect for the space of ten days thereafter to repair and restore the same to a perfect condition as it was previously, he shall forfeit \$10, and shall also pay as damages to such town three times the cost of repairing such guide board, and it shall be the duty of every town supervisor who has knowledge that any such injury has been done to make diligent effort for the detection of the person by whom the same was done and prosecute in the name of the town and collect such damages for its use.

**Sears, Roebuck & Co. Lose Suit.**  
The Glass A. Stickney Co., well known manufacturers of gasoline engines at St. Paul, Minn., recently secured a verdict in Chicago against Sears, Roebuck & Co. for \$33,739 for breach of contract, the engine house having failed to sell the number of engines it agreed to take in one year. The most interesting point brought out in the controversy is the proof of the irregular practice of the mail order house, as shown by the correspondence placed in evidence by the Stickney company and the catalogue of the mail order house. The mail order concern had purchased the engines of a certain horse power and then advertised to sell them as engines of a higher horse power, and it had asked the Stickney company to change its repair list and instruction book to correspond with the erroneous horse power rating, which the Stickney company refused to do. The Stickney company produced, and introduced as evidence, different catalogues published by Sears, Roebuck & Co., at various times, showing conclusively that this plan had been followed.

**We Invite Everyone**  
—Who is troubled with their eyes in way to visit our optical department and have our eye specialist make a thorough examination without charge. Particular attention is given to the proper fitting of children's eyes. All work guaranteed and at very low prices. Daily Drug & Jewelry Co. 41

**THE LOS ANGELES LIMITED.**  
—If you are going to southern California, your tickets should read via the Chicago & North Western, Union Pacific and Salt Lake Route, the route of the famous electric-lighted Los Angeles Limited. Baggage checked through and tickets sold through to destination. Direct connection at Wells Street Station, Chicago, with trains of The North Western Line from all points in Wisconsin and northern Michigan. Full information upon application to ticket agents, Chicago & North Western R.R., 10-37-41.

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**Make a Confidant of Your Banker.**  
It is a safe rule to lay down that the man who makes a confidant of his banker is not likely to go very far wrong. Several instances have come to light lately which prove this to be true.  
The owner of as fine a farm as can be found anywhere in the corn belt was hanged out of his life-time savings and earnings because he was the victim of a shrewd game, which would have been thwarted had he had the good sense to take his home banker into his confidence. All the details of the deal need not be gone into. Suffice it to say that the man was the victim of a pair of swindlers; one of whom pretended to buy the farm one day, the other of whom came along the following day and made such a tempting offer that the farmer immediately regretted he had accepted the offer of the day before. In order that he might accept the later offer and make a larger profit he was induced to withdraw from his bank a large sum of money to buy of the first purchaser which he deposited in a box similar to the box in which the second purchaser pretended to place his purchase money for the property. The farmer did not learn until the following day (when he had become suspicious because of the non-arrival of the second purchaser) that the two similar boxes had been switched and that he had been left the one in which there was absolutely nothing, while the swindling confederate had decamped with the money drawn from the bank and placed in the box by the trusting farmer.  
Now the point of the case is this: When the farmer went to the bank to draw out the money which he put in the box his home banker, having his depositor's welfare at heart, inquired what use was to be made of the money. The farmer doubtless feeling that he was hardly doing the right thing in nullifying the sale of the first day, regained with some heat that that was his own private business. When he opened the box and found it absolutely empty and realized that he had been humbugged, no man in America was more fully convinced of the wisdom of making a confidant of one's banker.  
Just last week another incident came to light. A woman disposed of her property in her home town and went to Chicago, expecting to purchase a new home there. Instead of securing a bank draft or certificate of deposit she carried the entire amount of \$5,000 in currency rolled up in a handkerchief. Relying in the Pullman one night, she placed the money under her pillow. On arising the next morning there was not the slightest trace of her treasure and to this day it has not been found. Had that woman secured bank paper, as any reasonably prudent or cautious person would have done, she might have lost the paper and, by stopping payment, have protested herself against any and all financial loss.  
The banker is essentially a man of business affairs. He is trained by experience to see into business offers and deals and can tell in a minute whether a proposition is sound or not. He would have advised the farmer against the humbug deal and the woman against carrying currency in such a large amount on her person. The farmer might have desired to sell his farm and the woman to purchase a new home in Chicago and the home banker would not have advised against either, but he would have told how best to carry on the negotiations in a business like way, protecting the interest of all parties concerned. The banker is a business specialist and should be consulted on business deals. Just as a doctor is consulted on medical matters.—Ex.

**Yield of Late Potatoes Above 100 Bushels Per Acre.**  
Wild Rose Times:—The conflicting reports as to the prospects of a potato crop this season stirred two of our potato buyers, James Kelly and Henry Coligan, last Friday to start on a tour of examination that they might see for themselves and bring back to those interested a report that could be relied upon. During their absence they visited a part of three counties, Waushara, Portage and Winnebago, passing over a number of fields and critically examining the product by digging into the hills and bringing samples of their find to town. They report that in all of their investigations they did not find a single poor field, and in their estimation the late potato crop this year will be considerably above a hundred bushels to the acre.

**Big Timber Purchase.**  
Marshfield News:—One of the largest timber purchases recorded in this section for a long time was made last week by the Upham Manufacturing Co., who purchased the standing timber and lumber in pine owned by the Blodgett-Booth Lumber Co., their holdings being at Durand. In consideration of the exchange the Upham Co. pay to the Blodgett-Booth concern \$38,120. It is one of the finest tracts of oak in the Chippewa valley and when sawed into lumber will be brought here for use in the manufacture of furniture by the Upham people.

**ECZEMA CURABLE! PROOF NOW AT 25c!**  
Try the Oil of Wintergreen Compound—Itch is Instantly Relieved.  
—It is usually very costly to consult a specialist in any disease, but for 25 cents, on a special offer, we can give to those suffering from eczema or any form of skin disease absolutely instant relief, with prospect of an early cure.  
A special trial bottle of the oil of wintergreen compounded in the Chicago Laboratories of the D. D. D. Company may be had in our store on this special 25 cent offer. This one bottle will convince you—we know it.—we vouch for it.  
Ten years of success with this mild, soothing wash, D. D. D. Prescription, has convinced us, and we hope you will accept the special 25 cent offer so that you also will be convinced. J. N. Daly.

**Both Boys Saved.**  
Louis Boon, a leading merchant of Norway, Mich., writes: "Three bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar absolutely cured my boy of a severe cough, and a neighbor's boy, who was so ill with a cold that the doctors gave him up, was cured by taking Foley's Honey and Tar." Nothing else is as safe and certain in results. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

**BIRON**  
Mrs. and Mrs. Ann Hahn of your city were in this burg visiting friends Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and child of your city spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Christensen.  
Miss Eva Bates of Rudolph spent the latter part of last week with relatives in this burg.  
Mrs. Vinnie Akey has moved her family and household goods to this place. She is occupying her own house which she purchased from John Paschke some time ago.  
John Paschke will give a dance at his hall next Thursday night, Oct. 28th. The blues orchestra has been engaged and a good time is open to all. Don't fail to attend.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Piltz and children of Rudolph Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff DeMars.  
Mrs. Clara Tuttle and daughter, who were visiting at the Will Harmon home, went to Nekeon Wednesday to visit other relatives.  
Mrs. Jim Klappa was on the sick list last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Perch and daughter Rose of Sigel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klappa.  
Mr. Clapp of your city spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Shumier and family.

**REMINGTON**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Emerson were business callers in Remington Tuesday.  
James Casey and Jon James attended the school board convention last Tuesday.  
Paul Dunne and wife drove to Babcock Saturday.  
Mrs. James Casey and Miss Marie Gross were on the sick list last week. Joe Sumner drove to Pinsky Sunday.  
Mrs. W. H. Bowden and son James and Miss Marie Gross drove to Pinsky to attend the Woodman doings Sunday.  
Mrs. Paul Dunne and children spent Sunday at the Casey home.  
James McVey spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McVey.  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is needed. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief. Sold by all dealers.

**PORT EDWARDS**  
Miss Viola McPherson entertained twenty of her young friends Saturday evening. Games were played and light refreshments served and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.  
The Royal Neighbors gave the Modern Woodmen a pleasant surprise Thursday evening at their lodge meeting. Some of them were so surprised that they went home and did not return. However those that stayed enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Dancing was indulged in and refreshments were served and all went home with a happy heart that they were a Royal Neighbor or a Woodman.  
Miss Clara Gelle was the guest of Miss Anna Cahill Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Auer spent Sunday at Rudolph the guests of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ochsler.  
Mr. and Mrs. Galt drove to the marsh Sunday to visit friends and buy cranberries for the store.  
Mrs. Joseph Bradner was a shopper in your city Saturday.  
Thomas Thulin has been a quincy victim the past week.

**ARMENIA**  
The A. Leberg family and Miss Edith Shilling were Nekeon visitors Saturday and Sunday.  
Mrs. Spire was a Grand Rapids shopper Saturday.  
Miss Edith Ostrom spent a few days at Nekeon last week, visiting her sister, Mrs. Albus.  
Frank Lamberberry returned to his home at Nekeon Saturday after working for A. Leberg the past three weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wells were Grand Rapids shoppers Saturday last week.  
Ira Nelson and Mike Gouzagowski of Nekeon spent Sunday with relatives here.  
The schools of District No. 3 and 4 commenced again Monday after a vacation of two weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. Bardick spent Sunday at the Wells home.  
Miss Anna Ault of Mouron Center visited at the Spice home Sunday.

**SIGEL**  
Anton Jones has bills out for an auction at his farm on Oct. 28th. Mr. Jones has not been feeling well lately and has rented his farm and will spend the winter at Nekeon with his children.  
Ernie Crummett is attending the Ladies' Business College.  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pinn and children of Grand Rapids were Sunday visitors at the Pinn home.  
Chas. Ecklund and family have moved into the Willard home at Grand Rapids.  
A Sigel farmer told his 12 year old son to milk the cows, feed the horses, chop the pigs, hunt up the eggs, feed the calves, catch the rots and put him in the stable, cut up some wood, stir the cream, split up the kindling wood, pump fresh water on the cranberry after supper, and to be sure and study his lesson before going to bed. Then he went off to a meeting of the farmer's club to discuss the question "How to keep the boys on the farm."  
Ernie Martenson is employed at Hazzard.  
A large number from here attended the auction held at Sherry on Wednesday of last week.  
Mrs. L. Pouch returned home last week from Merrill after an extended visit with friends there.  
Miss Berdena Berg spent Saturday at Grand Rapids.  
Leo Nordlund spent Sunday in our burg.  
Misses Berdena and Floy Berg spent Sunday at the Tompest home at Sherry.  
Misses Mary and Jennie Larson, who are attending training school at the Rapids, spent Saturday and Sunday at their home here.  
Syon Holm, who has made his home in New York for a length of time, is now visiting at the Nelson home.  
August Coleman and Eric Nordlund are home from Hancock where they have been employed.  
Mrs. A. Fruse arrived here last Saturday from Sweden and is at present staying at the Nelson home.  
Y. P. S. will meet next Monday night at the home of John Wortlund.  
Wm. Berg and son Robert of Grand Rapids spent Monday of last week at the Berg home.  
Mrs. John M. Wortlund has been visiting friends at Rossmore, Michigan.  
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knuth have moved to Grand Rapids to reside.  
Miss Ruth Holmquist has been reported ill the past week.  
Axel Wortlund has returned home from Almond where he has been employed.  
Edwin Berg spent Tuesday at Grand Rapids on business.  
Gust Anderson, who is employed at Milladore, spent Sunday at home.  
Mrs. Gust Holmquist is entertaining relatives from Duluth.  
Misses Agda Lindstrand and Emma Lundberg spent Saturday and Sunday at home.  
August Coleman will leave for Grand Rapids, Michigan, in the near future where he will secure employment.  
Mr. and Mrs. West have moved into one of the Gust Henriksen houses.  
Mr. Anderson and family of Arpin and Mr. Gust and family of Milladore spent Sunday in our burg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Henriksen entertained company for dinner last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jensen and family of Rudolph attended church services here Sunday.

**NEKOOSA.**  
(From the Times.)  
H. C. Cleveland and H. S. Lapham left last Monday night for Aberdeen, S. D., to register for a chance in the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Indian reservation land drawing.  
Will Pennington and sisters will leave about November first for Colorado where they will locate on their homesteads in the spring. Mr. Pennington expects to go to his claim this fall but the others will remain at Sterling, Colorado, until spring.  
Last Sunday afternoon W. A. Robinson of this village and Miss Helen Brough were united in matrimony by Rev. M. Luther at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bronson in the town of Ruan, Adams county. Will Ferguson acted as best man while the bridesmaid was Miss Ruby Peterson.  
The steel bridge for the street railroad across Moccasin creek arrived the latter part of last week from the Milwaukee line. It is a 48 foot span and will be placed on concrete piers, now nearly completed.  
Mrs. Wm. Voight was taken to the Grand Rapids hospital, where Drs. Waters (H. P. of this city and Don of Grand Rapids) performed a delicate surgical operation on her.  
The first foot ball game of the season here took place last Friday afternoon between the Graded school and the Catholic school, the former winning by a score of 5 to 0.  
Miss Viola Smith was taken to the Grand Rapids hospital in the ambulance last Tuesday where she will be under treatment.  
Misses Anna and Laura Reeves of Grand Rapids were the guests of Mrs. H. H. Voss on Saturday afternoon.

**RUDOLPH**  
Nic Marceau will give a social dance at his hall on Thursday night, Oct. 28.  
Mr. and Mrs. Eben Jackson of Dodge's Corners, Wis., are visiting at the home of Dr. Jackson and wife.  
Dr. J. A. Jackson and wife were shopping in Grand Rapids on Friday.  
John Umhalt and wife returned home from a short visit in Adams County.  
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Auer of Port Edwards Sundayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Codere.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark are visiting with friends at Port Edwards.  
The young folks gathered at the home of Joe Reimer Sunday evening, it being the sixteenth birthday of his daughter, Della. All reported a fine time.  
Alfred Bates and his little daughter, Pearl, Sundayed with his people in Rudolph.  
Lawrence Umhalt came home from Rod Granite where he has been working the past summer.  
Leonard Koluhart spent Sunday in Rudolph.  
J. A. Langer will celebrate his twenty-fifth wedding anniversary next Thursday evening. All are invited.  
Will Kartz delivered stock at Milladore last Saturday.  
Chris Ensell has two fine horses for sale, one three and one four years old.

**VESPER**  
Misses Anna and Mary Olson left for Willow Creek, S. D., last Thursday where they will spend the winter.  
The Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. L. Has last Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Joling left for Waupun last Tuesday where Mrs. Joling's sister is dangerously sick. Benson avenue is being graded from Anderson Avenue to Robert street. The work is being done with a twenty horse power traction engine.  
Mrs. D. McVicar, Mrs. Chas. Wittig and Mrs. John Heesler were Grand Rapids callers Monday.  
Frank and Leon Thienke of Arpin were Vesper callers Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elston visited at Marshfield last week.  
The pleasant purgative effect experienced by all who use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and the healthy condition of the body and mind which they create makes one feel joyful. Sold by all dealers.

**PITTSBURGH**  
(From the Record.)  
According to Ed. Check the cabbage crop hereabouts is good, better than last year, and a shade better than the average. In comparison to last year's crop Mr. Check says that the cabbage head of this year averages no larger than last year but that it is of a firmer composition. The leaves are wrapped more tightly and the cabbage harder and more compact. Grasshoppers did some damage to cabbage in some localities, but other conditions combined to make the crop as a whole better. The price is slowly climbing. Mr. Check now paying \$1.50 per ton as against \$1.00 some two weeks ago.  
Geo. W. Brown, Nash Mitchell, Harry Ames and E. H. Grove left Tuesday noon for Aberdeen, South Dakota to be on the ground floor in the government land lottery, drawing for numbers of which takes place next week.  
Chris Buhlman of Thorpe was in town Tuesday and Wednesday looking up the clay possibilities with the intention of starting a brick yard. The clay on the Nash Mitchell place is ideal for brick making and it has taken a man who is acquainted with the business to get the thing started.  
C. K. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1000 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

**NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE**  
State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court for Wood County, vs. Plaintiff, Edna H. Hiss, Defendant, Louis Bennett. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action in the Circuit Court for said county on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1909, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendant thereon more than one year ago, the said judgment having been duly entered, and the said judgment being a lien in law upon the premises hereinafter described, I, Michael Griffin, Sheriff of said county, do hereby give notice of the sale of said premises to all persons interested in the same, to wit: The premises situated in the North-east quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-two (22) North of Range Six (6) West of the Third Range, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said Wood County, Wisconsin, at the Court House in said county, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and at the same time and place, to sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the premises hereinafter described, to wit: The premises situated in the North-east quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-two (22) North of Range Six (6) West of the Third Range, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said Wood County, Wisconsin, and all the premises hereinafter described, to wit: The premises situated in the North-east quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-two (22) North of Range Six (6) West of the Third Range, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said Wood County, Wisconsin, and all the premises hereinafter described, to wit: The premises situated in the North-east quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-two (22) North of Range Six (6) West of the Third Range, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said Wood County, Wisconsin, and all the premises hereinafter described, to wit: The premises situated in the North-east quarter of 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## LOCAL ITEMS.

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Dr. E. L. Graves has been in Chicago the past week on business.

I. Barnish has been confined to his home the past week with illness.

Gen. Schumann returned today from Ashland where he spent several days on business.

Ed Rossler of Plover was in the city on Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rossler.

Atty. Walter Corrigan of Milwaukee was in the city on Saturday on professional business.

Mrs. Moses Blain of Rudolph favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Livernash of the town of Carson were in the city on a shopping tour on Friday.

Gene Guinell is nursing a very sore shoulder the past week, the result of a kick from one of his horses.

Ralph Baker of Marshfield was in the city on Friday on business connected with his ice cream factory.

Mrs. H. W. Lord has gone to Galion, Ohio, where she expects to spend the winter with her son Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fritz departed on Monday morning for Leonard, N. D., where they will spend the winter with their daughter.

Atty. C. E. Briere and Charles Nutwick transacted business in Pittsboro on Saturday afternoon, making the trip in Charles's auto.

Will Hayes, brakeman on the St. Paul Ry., spent Sunday in the city visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hayes.

Mosinee Times:—Rev. Father Blakodny of Grand Rapids held Episcopal services here Tuesday evening. While here he enjoyed a partridge hunt with Ed Suedler.

The Wells-Fargo express company have moved their fixtures to the Baggert building on Second street. The new location, being more central than the old one, will undoubtedly prove better in every respect.

—We fit glasses. Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

—Do not miss The U. S. A. Girl.

—See the Hudson-Fulton naval parade at the Ideal Theatre tonight.

Mrs. Jane Granger departed on Monday for a visit with her daughter in Minneapolis.

J. S. Thompson and F. G. Gilkey made a trip to Stevens Point on Tuesday in the latter's auto.

A. P. Hitz expects to leave this week for Milwaukee to do some buying for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nash are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Dankert departed on Saturday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller spent last week in Chicago where they had been visiting with friends and doing some shopping.

Will Otto, electrician at the Consolidated, is able to be around again after a month's illness with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dudley drove to Stevens Point on Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends. They returned home on Monday.

Thos. Jacobson of the town of Carson, Portage County was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city transacting some business.

—Across the Divide, a great western drama at Ideal Theatre Oct. 28th and 29th.

Mrs. Henry Hackbart and daughter Jessie of the town of Sigel were pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday morning while in the city shopping.

S. V. Topping and Will George left on Monday morning via the Northwestern Ry. for Buffalo Lake, where they will spend several days duck shooting with Mr. Topping's brother.

Warren Jones:—C. B. Hardin, O. W. Hooker and O. G. Malda of the experimental station at Grand Rapids, were in Warrens and vicinity, looking over the cranberry crop.

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—Visitor records at Daily's.

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Carl Gotsinger left last week for Stratford, where he will again be employed for the winter as cook in one of the R. Connor Co. lumber camps.

Miss Gertrude Kuntz, who has made her home at Grand Forks, N. D., for some time past, arrived in this city on Saturday and will remain here indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schindler departed on Thursday for Beaver Dam where they will spend a month visiting with relatives and looking after some business matters.

Otto Marx spent Sunday at his home in Aldorf with his brother, Richard, who has been ill the past three weeks with typhoid fever, but is now on the gain.

Joe Wheeler purchased of E. A. Tompant last week the truck formerly owned by the late Frank Cameron of Milwaukee. The rig is a fine one and will be used in connection with Mr. Wheeler's livery.

Mrs. Emil Lambert of Rushford, Minn., who has been a guest at the Henry Lambert home the past two weeks, departed on Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien at Oshkosh.

Prof. D. A. Davies was at Otto's drug store on Saturday demonstrating the new Rexall Body Exerciser. A large number saw the demonstration and orders were placed for about fifty of the exercisers.

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Geo. I. Strang of Marshfield spent Monday in the city looking after some business matters.

Mrs. Otto Roenius left on Saturday for Watertown where she will visit with relatives for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. O'Dell were at Necoosa on Sunday where they went to attend the funeral of a relative.

Rev. Wm. Nommensen was at Neillsville over Sunday where he went to assist at a mission festival.

Mrs. Jennie Gilkey left last week for Oshkosh and Green Lake to visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Senator T. W. Bruzzen spent several days in the northern part of the state last week looking after some business matters.

Among those who have recently purchased new pianos from Mrs. F. P. Daly are Charles Halvorsen, Fred Auer, Emma Knuth of this city and John Flesch and Walter Rozelle of Nekoosa.

Frank Frisby of Pine River was in the city a couple of days the past week. Mr. Frisby is about to install an electric light plant in his store and was here consulting with some of our electricians about the matter.

Frank LaVigne, one of the old residents of this city, but who is at present making his home in Wausau with his daughter, spent several days in the city the past week visiting with relatives and old time friends.

—Oct. 28, The Girl from the U. S. A.

Mrs. Wm. Voight and Miss Viola Smith, both of Necoosa, were operated upon at Riverside hospital during the past week by Drs. H. P. Waters of Necoosa and Dr. D. Waters of this city. Both patients have since been getting along nicely.

Miss Edith Rablin, who had been visiting relatives at Wausau for a couple of weeks, returned home on Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Nolan who will visit with friends and relatives here for a short time.

Stevens Point Journal:—Miss Grace Griffin, who is teaching this year at Grand Rapids, spent the day in the city. She will be accompanied to Grand Rapids tonight by her sister, Margaret, who will enter school there and spend the remainder of the year with her sister.

Mrs. P. MacKinnon entertained a party of lady friends at her home on Monday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. A. O. Milton of Seattle, Washington. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent by the ladies, Mrs. MacKinnon being a most delightful hostess.

Wm. Reiland was surprised at his home on Friday evening by a party of merry-makers comprised of his friends and relatives, the occasion being Mr. Reiland's birthday. The evening was spent in playing cards and kindred amusements and the result was a very pleasant time for all concerned.

Henry Carlson, who is breaking on the St. Paul road with head-quarters at Wausau, spent a couple of days in the city last week, having come here to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Solie. Henry is carrying a sore spot on the side of his head as the result of getting pinched between two heavy pieces of freight while engaged in loading a car. The outcome might have been much more serious, and he was lucky to escape as easily as he did.

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Miss Ida Klater resigned her position as stenographer at the Oberbeck Mfg. Co's. office last week and departed for her home in Menasha where she will spend a week visiting with her parents before leaving for Doyon, Cal., where she has a position. Miss Lena Seibel has succeeded her at the Oberbeck office.

Jacob Beaver was over from Neillsville several days the past week visiting with his family and looking after his cigar factory which he recently purchased from D. Lutz. Mr. Beaver expects to have things in shape at Neillsville so he can move here some time within the next week and take charge of his shop.

The marriage of John Winninger of the Winninger Bros. repertoire company which played on numerous occasions here, to Miss Louise Arel (Cook), a member of the company, took place at Watertown on Thursday. Miss Arel was formerly a member of the Schubert Stock Co., Milwaukee. Mr. Winninger is a resident of Wausau and a very popular comedian.

The columns for the Wood County National bank arrived the fore part of the week and the indications are that they will soon be placed in position. When this is done the exterior work on the bank can be finished in a very short while. This part of the work has been delayed on account of the first column being damaged in transportation here.

The street car people had a little brush with the Northwestern section men on Saturday at the point where the street car track crosses the railway at the south side. It was caused by the street car men trying to put in their crossing before the section men had received word to allow the work to be done. Work was stopped temporarily but was resumed without further hostilities when the required instructions were received.

John M. Johnson, one of the substantial farmers of the town of Rudolph, was among the pleasant callers at this office on Friday. Mr. Johnson has considerable iron on his farm, and many years ago the Meekins' sunk a shaft on the place expecting to find their fortune. The last summer a mining concern from Minneapolis has been operating on the farm with a diamond drill, but with what result, Mr. Johnson is unable to state.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

**DAILY'S THEATRE**

Oct. 28—The Girl from the U. S. A. A musical comedy with a chorus (a big one.)

Week of Nov. 1st—The Royal Prisoner Co. Popular prices. Change of play each night.

Every Saturday and Sunday motion pictures, songs and orchestra, 10 cents.

**What "Kellner's" Mean on Coal.**

—It means that Kellner stands back of every ton of it guaranteeing the weight and quality ready if need be to take the coal out if you say it's not satisfactory. You buy coal of Kellner this year.

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**For Chapped Skin.**

Chapped skin whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unexcelled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

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**A DOLLAR IN THE BANK IS WORTH TWO IN THE HOUSE AND A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR MADE 1+1=2 THAT'S ARITHMETIC**

**SCHOOL DAYS**

If you earn \$10,000 a year and spend \$11,000 you will fall behind. If you earn ten dollars a week and save part of it you will get ahead—and there is no other way to do so. Let your money grow.

We pay you 3 per cent interest on the money you put in our bank and compound the interest every six months.

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**ANOTHER ONE NEXT WEEK**

**For Stormy Weather**

For any kind of rough usage—hunting, mountain climbing, long trips, etc.

A shoe that will fit perfectly and give the same easy comfort that has made all Palstons known as the shoes that "need no breaking in." It is made over the famous Palston anatomical last, which duplicates every curve of foot—top and bottom. Simply ask your Palston dealer for

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## LOCAL ITEMS.

### —A big one. U. S. A. Girl.

Mrs. D. McVicar of Vesper was in the city on Saturday shopping.

Dr. E. L. Graves has been in Chicago the past week on business.

I. Baruch has been confined to his home the past week with illness.

Gna Schuman returned today from Ashland where he spent several days on business.

Ed Rosier of Plover was in the city on Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rosier.

Atty. Walter Corrigan of Milwaukee was in the city on Saturday on professional business.

Mrs. Moses Blain of Rudolph favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Livernash of the town of Carson were in the city on a shopping tour on Friday.

Geno Quinnell is nursing a very sore shoulder the past week, the result of a kick from one of his horses.

Ralph Baker of Marshfield was in the city on Friday on business connected with his ice cream factory.

Mrs. H. W. Lord has gone to Galion, Ohio, where she expects to spend the winter with her son Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fritz departed on Monday morning for Leonard, N. D., where they will spend the winter with their daughter.

Atty. C. E. Briere and Charles Natwick transacted business in Pittsboro on Saturday afternoon, making the trip in Charley's auto.

Will Hayes, brakeman on the St. Paul Ry., spent Sunday in the city visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hayes.

Moskies Titus—Rev. Father Blakesley of Grand Rapids held Episcopal services here Tuesday evening. While here he enjoyed a partridge hunt with Ed Snider.

The Wells-Fargo express company have moved their fixtures to the Rogers building on Second street. The new location, being more central than the old one, will undoubtedly prove better in every respect.

—Wm. H. Glasson. Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

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Mrs. Jane Grainger departed on Monday for a visit with her daughter in Minneapolis.

J. S. Thompson and F. G. Gilkey made a trip to Stevens Point on Tuesday in the latter's auto.

A. P. Hitz expects to leave this week for Milwaukee to do some buying for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Nash are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Dunkel departed on Saturday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller spent last week in Chicago where they had been visiting with friends and doing some shopping.

Will Otto, electrician at the Consolidated, is able to be around again after a month's illness with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dudley drove to Stevens Point on Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends. They returned home on Monday.

Thos. Jacobson of the town of Carson, Portage County was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city transacting some business.

—Across the Divide, a great western drama at Ideal Theatre Oct. 25th and 26th.

Mrs. Henry Hackbarth and daughter Jessie of the town of Suel were pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday morning while in the city shopping.

S. V. Topping and Will George left on Monday morning for the Northwestern Ry. for Buffalo Lake, where they will spend several days duck shooting with Mr. Topping's brother.

Warren's Index—C. B. Hardouber, C. W. Hooker and O. G. Muldo of the experimental station at Grand Rapids, were in Warrens and vicinity, looking over the cranberry crop.

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—Victor records at Daly's.

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Carl Getsinger left last week for Stratford, where he will again be employed for the winter as cook in one of the R. Connor Co. Lumber camps.

Miss Gertrude Kanza, who has made her home at Grand Forks, N. D., for some time past, arrived in this city on Saturday and will remain here indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schindler departed on Thursday for Beaver Dam where they will spend a month visiting with relatives and looking after some business matters.

Otto Marx spent Sunday at his home in Aldorf with his brother, Richard, who has been ill the past three weeks with typhoid fever, but is now on the gain.

Joe Wheeler purchased of E. A. Tamm last week the back formerly owned by the late Frank Cameron of Milwaukee. The rig is a fine one and will be used in connection with Mr. Wheeler's livery.

Mrs. Emil Lambert of Rushford, Minn., who has been a guest at the Henry Lambert home the past two weeks, departed on Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien at Oshkosh.

Prof. D. A. Davies was at Otto's drug store on Saturday demonstrating the new Rexal Body Exerciser. A large number saw the demonstration and orders were placed for about fifty of the exercisers.

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Geo. I. Straug of Marshfield spent Monday in the city looking after some business matters.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. E. O'Dell were at Necedah on Sunday where they went to attend the funeral of a relative.

Rev. Wm. Nommensen was at Neillville over Sunday where he went to assist at a mission festival.

Mrs. Jennie Gilkey left last week for Oshkosh and Green Lake to visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Senator T. W. Brazeau spent several days in the northern part of the state last week looking after some business matters.

Among those who have recently purchased new pianos from Mrs. F. E. Daly are Charles Halvorsen, Fred Aasent, Emma Knuth of this city and John Flesch and Walter Rozelle of Nekoma.

Frank Frisby of Pine River was in the city a couple of days the past week. Mr. Frisby is about to install an electric light plant in his store and was here consulting with some of our electricians about the matter.

Frank LaVigne, one of the old residents of this city, but who is at present making his home in Wausau with his daughter, spent several days in the city the past week visiting with relatives and old-time friends.

—Oct. 28, The Girl from U. S. A.

Mrs. Wm. Voight and Miss Viola Smith, both of Nekoma, were operated upon at Riverview hospital during the past week by Dr. H. F. Waters of Nekoma and Dr. D. Waters of this city. Both patients have since been getting along nicely.

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Stevens Point Journal:—Miss Grace Griffin, who is teaching this year at Grand Rapids, spent the day in the city. She will be accompanied to Grand Rapids tonight by her sister, Margaret, who will enter school there and spend the remainder of the year with her sister.

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Farmers in this section who have a short potato crop have very little to console them in the outlook. There is no indication at the present time that the price will be anything like in proportion to the shortness of the local crop. There are other states where there is a short production, but taken altogether the crop is reported much larger than last year.

Two factors entered into the proposition of making a short crop here, the drought that prevailed during the growing season, and the early frost that stopped the growth of late tubers when they were getting ripe.

Wm. Bohmsach, carrier on rural route No. 1, who has been carrying his mail with a Maxwell runabout during the past summer, was compelled to look elsewhere for a conveyance for the first time last week, his machine being laid up for a couple of days. He was helped out by F. G. Gilkey, who made the trip in his runabout, Mr. Bohmsach, by the way, has made his trip of about twenty-four miles every day since last May by auto, besides doing considerable running around each day for hire, after making his trips, and he speaks very highly of the automobile as a machine for this purpose.

He has kept a careful account of the cost and he finds that it is no more than it would be necessary to expend on one horse. Some of the other mail carriers have been watching the matter with considerable interest with a view to buying an auto for the same purpose provided it proves practicable.

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And we give you some charcoal to start your stove.

Call 416 and we'll do the rest

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### How to Save Fuel

Briefly—Buy a Cole's Hot Blast Coal Stove.

It cuts the fuel bill in two because it burns the gas arising from burning coal. Gas goes via the chimney in either stoves. Cole's Hot Blast really makes \$3 soft coal work like \$9 hard coal. Come in and see that smokeless feed door. Does away with dust, dirt and smoke in the house.

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The great crops of 1909 are making themselves felt in freight congestion at some points, in upward revision of estimates of the money value of the years' farm products and in a quickening of the pulse of industry and trade that they will bring the country a year of unusual prosperity is doubted by nobody. Next year or the year after the crops may not be so abundant, but there is never a total crop failure. Even in the drought of 1901, the short crop crop had its compensation in an immense yield of wheat, of verified fattening and improved quality from the probability of fallure in any considerable percentage of the crops. The increasing yields and the growing average of prices are making affluent the landowners and the thrifty farmers, who a few years ago had cause to complain of poverty. The improving conditions of rural life and the great financial independence are broadening the intelligence of the farmers and the growing value of the lands is building up a land owning aristocracy in the west that is raising in political, social and economic influence. There is an influence of rural revolution.

It may be impossible for the department of agriculture at Washington to try any other human power to succeed in every attempt to cause two blades of grass to grow where one grew before. But there is no doubt of the efficient work done by the department in stimulating crop growing wherever possible. Now the exports of all branches of the government are turning attention to opportunities in the Panama canal zone, which is under American jurisdiction. It is believed enough fruit and vegetables, including those of both the temperate and tropical climates, can be produced to meet the requirements in this direction of the 55,000 persons now residing on the zone. If this can be done a fresh triumph will be gained for the department and important economic results will follow. And all that will be in line with the practical ideas which govern the department of agriculture.

Manila has been celebrating the eleventh anniversary of the capture of the city by American troops. What has become of that Philippine distinction and insurrection which the "anti-imperialists" were wont to praise as "glorious" and the "evening star of democracy"? Really the admirers of Aguinaldo have had little to talk about for some time. Perhaps they will seize the incident of the invasion of New England by the regular army as an opportunity first to protest loudly and then to take to the tall timber.

The little child of Persia is between 11 and 12 years old, about the age when the average American boy is having the care-free time of his life. Yet they propose that the young shah shall marry and assume the responsibilities of a domestic establishment. And apparently they have the estimate picked out. No wonder the little fellow tried to run away. Also no wonder that even the sluggish east is awakening to the farcical character of some kinds of monarchy.

There are international exchanges of various kinds commercial, educational and aesthetic. Years ago Great Britain inaugurated an international exchange in birds by giving this country the English sparrow. Lately England has received from this country the American robin, a generous repayment. The new arrival is much appreciated in the "light blue island." Whether the birds will stay in England through the autumn and winter is now a matter of debate.

To deprive of his adopted nationality a Chinaman who served in the navy during the civil war, was wounded five times in the service of the country, and has held citizenship papers for 35 years, must be in accord with the law, since the courts say so. But it leaves a liberty of opinion as to what sort of law it is that inflicts such results.

A Montreal paper has figured that in dancing at a ball beginning at ten o'clock at night and ending at five o'clock the next morning the distance covered is more than 11 miles. Yet the average girl prefers it to a day at the washbasin, where there is very little walking.

The head of the chemical bureau says that modern housewives are Leticia Borgeas, who devote themselves to bridge while plutocrats revel unchecked in the leeches. This indictment is enough to freeze the marrow of their bones even to the extent of boycotting the ice cream.

Georgia has a new law prohibiting false gossip about women. It is still lawless there, however, to tell a woman to her face that her new hat is too sweet for anything.

An old red hen in New Jersey, in digging for worms in the soil, brought to light \$11,000 worth of stolen jewels. This proves again how that great national institution, the American hen, when egged on, can come up to the scratch.

King Edward denies that he made a small fortune in American steel stocks. But he needn't worry at the report. It tortures in stocks are good enough for our money kings, they are good enough for him.

The immigration authorities are sending back to Austria a woman who eloped from her husband and came to this country with the man whom she thinks more of. All our home industries seem to be protected without regard to the new tariff schedules.

In view of the increasing unpleasantness between Greece and Turkey the foreboding war correspondent will now review his "Anabasis" and cast a hasty glance at the works of the late Lord Byron.

# CASHIER KILLS SELF

OFFICIAL OF WRECKED BANK TAKES LIFE IN FIT OF DESPONDENCY.

CRASH DUE TO \$200,000 LOSS

Dead Man Was Not Blamed for Alleged Shortage in Bank—Mother-in-Law Falls Dead When She Sees the Body.

Mineral Point, Wis.—The body of P. E. Hanson, cashier of the wrecked First National bank of this city, was found Monday morning on the steps of his mother in the family plot of the local cemetery, he having ended his life by shooting.

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## INFORMER TRIES SUICIDE

Betrayer of Jury Plotters' Secrets Jumps Into River—Attorney Wayman's Life Threatened.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—An attempt to commit suicide by jumping into the lake at Van Buren street was made Monday by Nicholas J. Brown, private secretary of Attorney Albert M. Kohn, and charged with the indictment charging conspiracy to defraud jurors.

Charged with death at the hands of first ward political leaders whose secrets he has disclosed in two confessions to State's Attorney Wayman, and believing that he had incurred for life the enmity of his employer and others by having been secrets of the jury-fixing ring, Martin attempted to end his existence. It was the head of John Woodard, an investigator, which checked him when he was about to make a dash into the lake.

Threats to murder State's Attorney Wayman and his principal assistants in an effort to terrorize them into ceasing their efforts to send guilty men to the penitentiary were also disclosed. But this has only resulted in spurring him on to greater activity. He has taken precaution by having two detectives and his assistant, Thomas Marshall, accompany him on most of his trips, but beyond that he is paying no heed to the attitude of the dangerous men whom his criminal practices he has set out to destroy.

Typhoon Sweeps Luzon. Manila, P. I.—A typhoon of unusual severity swept across northern and central Luzon. With communications with all points beyond Dagupan and Luzon was cut off and details are lacking.

One message brought to Dagupan from San Fabian says that the loss of life was considerable. Torrential rains accompanied the storm and an extensive area was flooded. The railroad was washed out at several points, and one railway station was swept away.

Great Demand for New Pennies. Philadelphia.—So great has been the demand for the new Lincoln pennies that nothing else has been coined at the mint of this city since the end of June. The output in three and a half months has reached 70,000,000 pennies.

Two Killed by Gas. Chicago.—George Stevenson, aged 35, and the Divan, aged 25, were found Wednesday dead in a gas-filled room in a State street hotel. They had registered as man and wife.

Life for Killing Daughter-in-Law. Vermilion, S. D.—The jury in the case of Mrs. C. Swenson, charged with the murder of his daughter-in-law, Bertha Swenson, Monday returned a verdict of guilty. The penalty was fixed at life imprisonment. The defense will argue for a new trial.

Young Wife Commits Suicide. Centralia, Ill.—Mrs. Charles Liensky, a bride of a year, committed suicide Monday by drinking carbolic acid. Domestic trouble is given as the cause for the deed.

Predicts Spanish Revolution. Paris.—Alexandre Lerroux, chief of the Republicans at Barcelona, in an interview here predicted a revolution in Spain and the establishment of a republic. He considered the execution of Ferrer the outcome of the personal vengeance of King Alfonso.

Storm's Dead Toll Ninety-Three. Nashville, Tenn.—Figures received by the Banner show that there were 93 people killed and 100 injured in the recent cyclone in Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia.

# PURITY CONGRESS OPENED

GREAT GATHERING OF REFORMERS IN BURLINGTON.

White Slave Traffic Topic of Discussion on First Day—Eminent Social Workers on Program.

Burlington, Ia.—Not for many months has the country seen so important a gathering of reformers, reformed and social workers and philanthropists as that in the First Methodist church Tuesday afternoon when the National purity congress was opened under the auspices of the National Purity federation. Delegates from scores of cities and towns were present, and they are not "thingy" but "things."

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## FEARED KING WILL GO MAD

Danger of an Uprising and of His Assassination Is Underlying King Alfonso's Health.

Lisbon, Portugal.—Alarming reports as to King Alfonso's health were received here, distraught by the rumor raised by the execution of Francisco Ferrer at Barcelona, the king, according to the dispatches, is with out appetite and has been unable to sleep. The fear of an uprising and his own danger of assassination have so worked on him that his condition of mind is said to be serious.

This condition of the monarchy, and the attitude of Premier Maura, whom he consulted for the execution of the school teacher, have added to Alfonso's uneasiness over the situation at home and abroad growing out of Ferrer's death.

Threatening letters pour into the palace, and although an effort was made to keep the fact secret from Alfonso, he learned of it and became greatly agitated. Premier Maura refused to retire unless a demonstration of public opinion strong enough to convince him that his position is hopeless.

Inspector Testifies He Received Half Importers' Ill-Gotten Gains—Implicates Others. New York.—A scheme of customs frauds whereby the United States government was defrauded of \$200, or more, at a clip, extending over a period of two years or more, was described by George Brehm, a customs inspector, who, although still in the government employ, admitted that he had received approximately half of the importers' alleged ill-gotten gains.

Brehm's testimony was presented at the trial of Antonio and Philip Muscat, Italian importers, who are charged with having conspired to defraud the government by having cheese shipped to them from Italy under false weight entries.

Charged with Selling Wife. Chicago.—William R. Ellis, 31 years old, is a prisoner at the Des Plaines street station accused by the young wife of having placed her in a disorderly house last April. The husband's arrest followed a shocking story related by the wife when she was arraigned in police court.

Panama Canal Fights an Issue. Washington.—The army and navy joined battle Wednesday held in secret meeting in the office of Admiral Dewey. The question of fortifying the entrances to the Panama canal will come up before the board, which will visit the isthmus.

Veteran Newspaper Man Dead. Chicago.—John Halloran, in the service of the Inter Ocean for more than forty years and for several years its night editor, is dead after a brief illness.

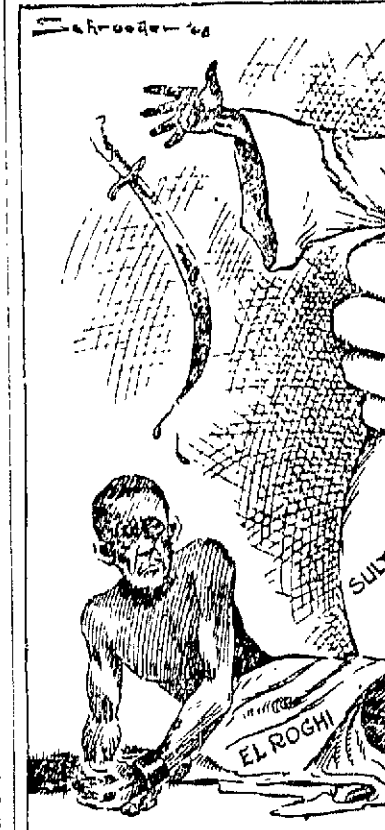
Killed for His Money. Pittsburgh, Pa.—With his head crushed, Calvin House, proprietor of the House hotel, at Rice's landing, Pa., Tuesday was found near his place of business and died without having regained consciousness.

Whirled to Death on Shaft. Bingham, Utah.—Whirling on a shaft, 150 times a minute, the dead body of John Crabbell, a chemist, was Tuesday discovered on the floor of the Utah copper mill. His clothing had caught on a shaft.

Stricken in Church Pulpit. Bedford, Ind.—Dr. J. W. Newell, 83 years old, was stricken with apoplexy Sunday while conducting services in the First Christian church in this city. He was known as the father of the Christian church here.

Wife Suicidal; Doctor Ends Life. Fairfield, Ill.—Dr. Dutton Smith of Orchardville committed suicide at five o'clock Saturday. Domestic troubles are supposed to have been the cause. His wife recently instituted divorce proceedings.

# FOR HUMANITY'S SAKE



THE POWERS.

Law Is Discovered Whereby France's Threats Can Be Met with Drastic Retaliation.

## EX-MINISTER BUCHANAN DEAD

MEETS TRAGIC DEATH IN STREETS OF LONDON.

Found in Dying Condition—Believed to Be Victim of Heart Disease.

London.—William I. Buchanan of Buffalo, N. Y., former American minister to the Argentine Republic and Panama, who had been closely identified with several important American diplomatic missions, met a tragic death on a London street. He was discovered lying on a sidewalk in Park lane near the American embassy, in a dying condition, and was carried to St. George's hospital, and was about to die when his life was exacted when the ambulance reached the hospital. The cause of death is not known, but it is supposed that it resulted from heart disease or apoplexy.

There were no marks of violence on the body, nor had robbery been committed.

Mr. Buchanan, who had come to London on a mission for the United States government in connection with the Venezuelan claims, had been here for several weeks. He previously had visited Berlin and Paris. He took up quarters at Clarendon hotel, one of the most fashionable in the city, which is located about a mile from Park lane. He left the hotel for dinner, early in the evening, attired in evening dress. No one has yet been found who knows where he spent the evening, but it is supposed that he was walking home when stricken.

## KNOCK-OUT IN 12TH ROUND

Jack Johnson Whips Stanley Ketchel in a Bloody Battle—Is Carried from Ring Unconscious.

San Francisco.—In a furious battle at the Coliseum arena Jack Johnson, the heavy-weight champion of the world, knocked out Stanley Ketchel, the middle-weight title holder, in the twelfth round. The end came just when it appeared as if the white man was getting more on a par with his heavier foe than he had been in the previous rounds.

Rising suddenly from the floor where Ketchel had sent him with a punch behind the ear, Johnson flew at the white man so savagely and unexpectedly that Ketchel, who was taken place back toward the ropes was taken unaware. Before he could put up his guard Johnson's right fist, driven with all the force of his muscular black body, landed with a thud on the jaw, and like a flash the colored man's left dashed into Ketchel's stomach. As Stanley bent forward from the force of the blow Johnson swung his right once more and landed fairly on Ketchel's jaw.

## MANUEL FEARS ASSASSIN

King of Portugal, Although Reported Ill, Is Said to Be Hiding from Plotters.

London.—It was reported here Tuesday that King Manuel of Portugal is not ill, but hiding from plotters seeking to assassinate him.

Information of a plot to explode a dynamite bomb at the royal palace is said to have reached the police.

The guard about the palace was doubled and police agents began an investigation. Reports made by them are said to have been of such an alarming character that the king was prevailed upon to conceal his whereabouts. He was taken from the palace recently by body guards. After he had reached his hiding place it was announced that the king was seriously ill, according to a prearranged plan.

Lisbon.—A bomb was exploded Tuesday in front of the Church of St. Louis. The windows in the residences adjacent were shattered.

Wife of Gen. G. W. Duke Is Dead. Louisville, Ky.—Mrs. Henrietta Morgan Duke, wife of Gen. Basil W. Duke, known in history as "Morgan's right-hand man," was found dead in bed at her home here Wednesday. Heart disease caused her death.

Death of Envoy Natural. London.—The verdict of the inquest into the death of William I. Buchanan, the American diplomat, whose body was found in the street, is to the effect that "death was due to natural causes."

First Woman Juror. Los Angeles, Cal.—For the first time in California a woman was sworn in to serve as a juror, when on Tuesday Mrs. Johanna Engelman of Santa Monica took her place in the jury box of the superior court of Los Angeles county.

Loses Life in Fire. Seattle, Wash.—The fire that destroyed the Denver hotel Tuesday in Ballard, caused the death of Edwin Burch. Three other men were seriously, perhaps fatally, injured.

Banker Goes to Prison. Trenton, N. J.—Eugene R. Wiltbank, the former bookkeeper and teller of the Second National bank of Atlantic City, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling \$7,000, was Monday sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

Immigration Agent Fired. Washington.—Secretary Nagel, on recommendation of the commissioner of immigration, Monday removed from office Daniel D. Davies, immigration inspector in charge at Chicago.

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## ADDITIONAL LOCAL

—Victor talking machines, \$1.00 per week at Daly's.

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Mrs. Geo. W. Paulus visited friends in Marshfield on Monday and Tuesday.

T. A. Taylor spent Monday and Tuesday in Chicago on business and pleasure combined.

Arthur Sundet, operator at Babcock for the St. Paul Ry., is visiting in the city with his father for a few days.

Mrs. Oliver Dudley left on Tuesday for Loyal where she will visit her daughter and family for a few days.

Mrs. Earle Pense left on Monday for Milwaukee to attend a meeting of the officers of the Wisconsin Federated Clubs.

—Across the Divide, a grand western drama at Ideal Theatre, Oct. 28th and 29th.

Atty. D. D. Conway departed on Tuesday for Madison, Milwaukee and Chicago to be gone a week on business.

Miss Della Jones returned on Tuesday from Chicago where she had been in attendance upon Mrs. Emil Garrison.

J. P. Horton was in Wausau on Thursday in attendance at the quarterly meeting of the Wisconsin Miller's Association.

Fred Frasier has sold his 20 acre farm east of the city to Fred Portel of Schleisergerville, Wis. Sale was made through the J. H. Linderman agency.

—Everybody can afford apples now. Johnson & Hill Co. have a carload of fine stock on the track near their store which they are selling at \$1.10 per bushel.

Mr. F. G. Fritz, Onondaga, N. Y., writes: "My little girl, recently benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Cure, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble. Foley's Kidney Cure is mild, pleasant and effective, and cures habitual constipation. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co."

Clifford Dulin and John Wecker arrived in the city on Monday to visit friends for a few days, expecting to leave for home today. Both boys have been playing ball during the past summer.

F. L. Stubb has moved his drug store into the building purchased by him during the past summer and he now has only a very nice place, but is also much more centrally located than heretofore.

Mr. and Mrs. Christensen and Mr. and Mrs. Graves of Loyal were in the city on Monday, having made the trip here in Mr. Graves automobile. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dudley.

Nic Tomczyk will open his new brick saloon to the public on Saturday, on which occasion he will hold a grand opening. The fixtures of the new saloon were made by the Kaudy Manufacturing Co., and are very neat and tasty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin were in the city several days during the past week, being guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Martin. The young couple, who were but recently married, were on their wedding tour while here. They left for their home at Winneconne on Monday.

People who want to take the Grand Rapids Tribune at the present time and pay for one year in advance may have their subscription credited to the first of January, 1911, thus getting more than two months subscription free of charge. If you take advantage of the offer at once you will be the gainer by it.

A man who was afraid of thunder crawled in a hollow log as a place of safety during a thunder storm. The thunder rolled and the rain poured down in torrents, and the old log began to swell up until the poor fellow was wedged in so tight he couldn't get out. All of his past sins began passing before him suddenly he remembered he hadn't paid his newspaper subscription, and it made him feel so small that he was able to back right out again.

A case involving the responsibility of the state or county for damages done by deer or other game animals protected by the game laws, is soon to come up before the courts of Houghton County, Michigan, for decision. The crops of one David Lancott, a farmer of Houghton county, were overrun and destroyed by deer. Under the game laws Lancott was prohibited from protecting his crops by shooting the deer, and was consequently obliged to suffer the loss occasioned by their depredations. As this condition of things does not just coincide with his ideas of justice, he has brought suit against the county for damages sustained to the amount of \$30,000. The outcome of the case will be watched with interest as it raises the question of the responsibility of the state or county for damage done by game animals under the protection of its game laws.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In cases of sprains, cuts, wounds and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by all dealers.

## Cranberry Crop Report.

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Barley	......75
Feed Hay	.....2.50
Timothy	.....2.25
Alfalfa	.....1.50
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"Johnny" said the boy's mother, "I hope you have been a nice, quiet boy at school this afternoon."

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**Old Time Sea Food.**

A glance at the fish shops today arouses the recollection that one could have fasted with far more variety in the middle ages.

What of yesterday's car that was roasted and served on the spit or boiled with peas, the tongue and tail being the choicest parts? The porpoise, too, was a royal dish, roasted whole and eaten with mustard, when Henry VIII. was with us, and so was the grampus or sea dog.

The lamprey, after its one-drift, to have lost its popularity, and nobody nowadays is anxious to eat the lamprey. Many fish, however, seem to have endured throughout the ages, such as the sprat and herring, eaten especially in Lent; the oyster (officially a fish) and the anchovy, sternly anathematized by old Tobias Venner in 1620 as "food for drunkards."—London Standard.

**Market Report.**

Patent Flour	\$5.80
Best Flour	\$5.40
Ons.	\$5.20
Butter	\$18.75
Eggs	\$22.50
Best live	\$8.50
2nd live	\$8.00
Hay, Timothy	\$20.00
Potatoes	\$2.50

"Johnny," said the boy's mother, "I hope you have been a nice, quiet boy at school this afternoon."

"That's what I was," answered Johnny.

"I want to sleep right after school," said the boy, "because I was so tired when I got home."

"There is the way the papers will write up weddings ten years hence!"

"The bride looked very well in a traveling dress, but all eyes were centered upon the groom. He wore a dark suit that fitted his form perfectly and in his dainty gloves he carried a small rose. His only hair was beautifully done, and his delicate odor of hair oil of the best quality floated down the aisle as he passed. The young people will miss him now that he is married. He is loved by all for his many accomplishments, his tender grace and his winning ways. The bride commands a good salary as bookkeeper and the groom will miss none of the luxuries to which he has been accustomed. A crowd of pretty men saw him off at the depot."

## RUDOLPH

There will be a big dance at Marceen's hall Thursday evening, Oct. 28th. Good music will be furnished. Supper will be served down stairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Whitmore and children of Port Edwards spent Sunday at the W. J. Clark home.

Miss Lillian Roidt visited at the A. J. Kujawa home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Rayome was in your city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kujawa and daughter Mary were in your city on Tuesday.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Gokey to Jake Lampert of Heilman occurred on Tuesday, Oct. 26. The wedding was held at the Catholic church.

Oliver Akey closed a land deal on Monday between Charles Brandt of Chicago and Mrs. Anna Nordrest of the town of Linwood.

Miss Clara Pitt spent Sunday at Junction City.

Miss Amanda Ravome came up from Neokoma Sunday to spend the day with her parents.

Mrs. Fred Piltz was in your city on Tuesday.

Mrs. Oliver Akey, Misses Ida Akey and Libby McGregory went up to Junction City Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Akey spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Akey.

Grover Akey has returned from the west.

**BABCOCK**

J. Wachter has bought the house occupied by John Gage but owned by J. E. Ingraham and will take possession the first of next week. Mr. Gage has moved into the Clarence Badden house.

Clarence Badden has bought the John Robinette home, Mr. Robinette moving onto his farm south of the village.

Geo. P. Ward spent Sunday with his family in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Griffith returned from Seattle on Friday morning. They report a very fine time visiting relatives and taking in the fall. They think Seattle the garden spot of the world.

Mrs. Chas. Porter was a Grand Rapids visitor one day last week.

Quite a crowd from here attended the unveiling of the Geo. Rollins monument at Pittsville on Sunday.

Among those attending were: Messrs. and Mesdames P. E. Ward, L. Kanarud, A. Griffith, A. Bailing, S. Griffith and the Mesdames Wm. S. Griffith and the Mesdames Grace Bowden and A. Brost, Misses Grace Daniels, Sarah Griffith and Miss Ross, and the Messrs. Caw, Stout, Ferguson, Joyce and Briggs.

Mrs. J. McLaughlin was a Pittsville visitor on Saturday and Sunday, taking in the Catholic fair and unveiling.

Mrs. M. F. Ward joined her husband in Chicago on Wednesday where he is attending the veterinary college.

Chas. Porter spent Sunday with his family in the village. Mr. Porter is employed by the St. Paul Ry. at Grand Rapids.

The home of Jos. Hand about one mile north of the village is quarantined with diphtheria. Their little daughter about ten years old has it.

A few of Mrs. M. F. Ward's friends tendered her a surprise party in honor of her thirty-second birthday. The evening was passed very pleasantly and will long be remembered.

Mrs. G. L. Ward of Grand Rapids was a visitor in our village on Monday.

Thos. Law is preparing to move into his home on the south side of the track recently purchased of E. J. Erickson.

Misses Mildred Dixon and Maud Waterman, who have charge of our schools, spent Sunday at their homes in Grand Rapids.

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**A Correction.**

Two weeks ago the Tribune made an error in reporting the outcome of the case of Bretz against the R. Connor Co. It was stated that the case was won by the defendant, which was not so, but was won by the plaintiff, and the decision of Judge Webb was subsequently upheld by the Supreme Court. The fact that the matter was misstated was called to the attention of the editor immediately after the issue of the paper by Attorney B. R. Grogins, who was interested in the case, and it was the intention to make a correction last week, but the matter was overlooked.

**Notice of Application for Proof of Will.**

Wood County, County Court, In Probate. State of Wisconsin, ss.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Frederick Barthelme, deceased, the same being admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and according to the provisions of the statute in that behalf made, I, the undersigned, Judge of the County Court, do hereby certify that said application for proof of said will, as aforesaid, is to be heard before this court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by placing a copy of this order for three weeks before this court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 26th day of October, A. D. 1908.

By the Court, W. J. Conway, Judge.

FOUNDED—A neck fur. Owner will please call at this office.

**Notice of Application for Final Settlement.**

In Wood County, County Court, In Probate. In the matter of the estate of Arthur Boyd deceased, executor of the will of Arthur Boyd, deceased, representing the same, do hereby certify that said application for final settlement of said estate, as aforesaid, is to be heard before this court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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